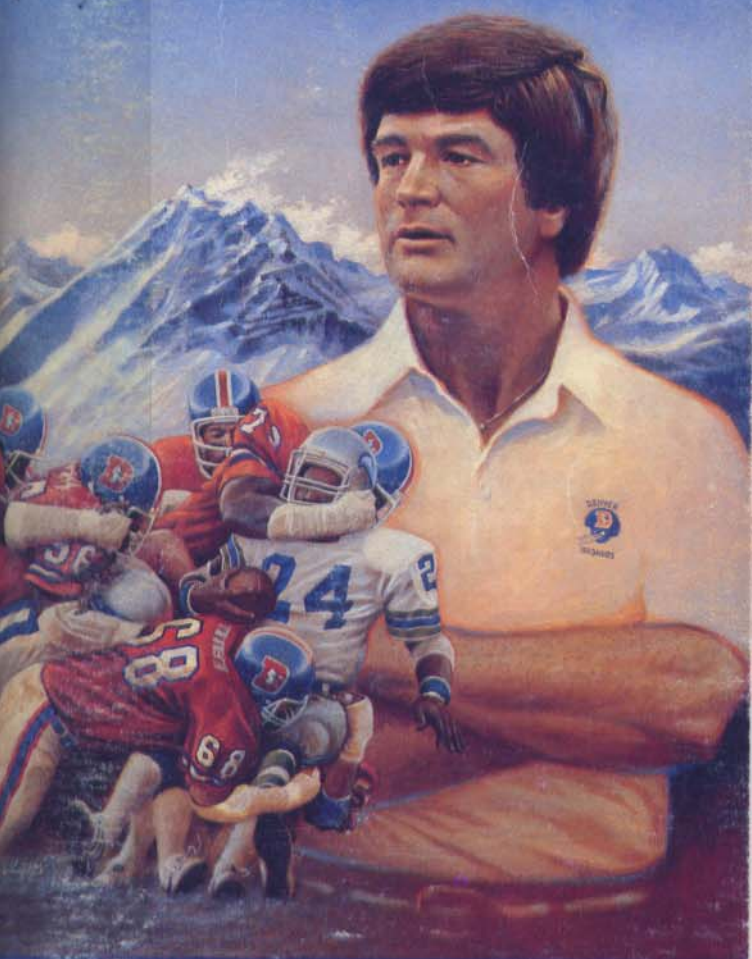


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SCHEDULE — 1982

Regular Season

Sunday, Sept. 12	SAN DIEGO, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 19	SAN FRANCISCO, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 26	at New Orleans, 12:00 Noon
Sunday, Oct. 3	PITTSBURGH, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 10	at New York Jets, 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 17	at Houston, 12:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 24	OAKLAND, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 31	BUFFALO, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 7	at Seattle, 1:00 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 14	at Kansas City, 12:00 Noon
Sunday, Nov. 21	SEATTLE, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 28	at San Diego, 1:00 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 5	ATLANTA, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 12	at Los Angeles, 1:00 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 19	KANSAS CITY, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 26	at Oakland, 1:00 p.m.

All Times Local at Game Sites
Homes Games (Mile High Stadium) Capitalized

Preseason

Saturday, Aug. 14	at Los Angeles, 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 21	MIAMI, 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 28	MINNESOTA, 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 4	at New York Jets, 8:00 p.m. (Giants Stadium, East Rutherford, N.J.)

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University of Northern Colorado
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COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Dan Reeves (South Carolina, 1965)
Special Assistant	Marvin Bass (William & Mary, 1942)
Assistant Head Coach/Defense	Joe Collier (Northwestern, 1954)
Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers	Rod Dowhower (San Diego State, 1965)
Offensive Line	Jerry Frei (Wisconsin, 1948)
Defensive Line	Stan Jones (Maryland, 1953)
Defensive Backs	Richie McCabe (Pittsburgh, 1955)
Running Backs	Nick Nicolau (Southern Connecticut State, 1957)
Tight Ends/Special Teams	Fran Polsfoot (Washington State, 1950)
Linebackers	Bob Zeman (Wisconsin, 1960)

SCOUTING STAFF

Coordinator of College Scouting	Carroll Hardy
Coordinator of Pro Scouting	Reed Johnson
College Scouts	Bill Daddio, Hugh Davidson, Jack Hennemier, Lide Huggins, Hank Johnson, Myrel Moore, Bernie Reid, Al Satterfield

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

EDGAR F. KAISER, JR. Chairman Of The Board



Edgar F. Kaiser, Jr. is chairman and chief executive officer of Kaiser Resources Ltd., a privately-owned international coal marketing company, and of its subsidiary, Kaiser Oil (U.S.) Ltd., an oil and gas exploration company headquartered in Denver, Colorado.

Mr. Kaiser, 39, was elected in 1978 as chairman and chief executive officer of the British Columbia based coal corporation then known as Kaiser Resources Ltd., and since renamed B.C. Coal Ltd., after serving as president and chief executive officer. As well, he served as chairman and chief executive officer of

Kaiser Steel Corporation. His operational experience includes assignments with other Kaiser companies in cement, automotive, mining, steel, engineering and construction businesses in many parts of the world. He is a director of Daon Development Corporation. He also is a trustee of the California Institute of Technology and is chairman of the board of trustees of the Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation.

Mr. Kaiser is active on the Canada-Japan Business Cooperation Committee as well as serving on several government, civic and charitable committees and organizations.

Mr. Kaiser was born in Portland, Oregon in 1942. He received his B.A. from Stanford University in 1965 and an M.B.A. from Harvard University in 1967. After a year and a half in Vietnam with the Agency for International Development, he served President Lyndon B. Johnson in 1968 as a White House Fellow and during 1969 was assistant to the U.S. Secretary of the Interior, Walter J. Hickel.



GENERAL MANAGER

GRADY ALDERMAN General Manager



Grady Alderman presided over a very successful year of transition in 1981, as the Broncos posted a 10-6 record in Alderman's first year as general manager of the NFL club.

He came to Denver with 20 years of experience in professional football as a player, administrator, and broadcaster, as well as a solid foundation in business and management.

Alderman assumed his new post after having spent the previous two seasons as Director of Planning and Development for the Minnesota Vikings.

Alderman's business background is almost as long as his playing career. He was drafted by the Detroit Lions in 1960 after an outstanding collegiate career at the University of Detroit, then went to the Vikings in the expansion draft in 1961.

He became an offensive tackle at Minnesota and embarked on a long and distinguished playing career that saw him play in six Pro Bowls and three Super Bowls and serve as offensive team captain for eight years before his retirement following the 1974 season.

During much of that time he had also been working as an accountant with the accounting firm of Deloitte, Haskins & Sells. He joined that firm in 1963 and stayed with it through 1979.

During that time he completed the requirements for, and received, his CPA certificate (in 1970) and was a manager at the firm's Bloomington, Minn., office at the time he left to join the Vikings front office in 1979.

After his retirement as an NFL player, Alderman became a broadcaster working as color commentator on Vikings broadcasts from 1976 through the 1980 season. He also provided color commentary for the telecast of the 1980 Holiday and Japan Bowl all-star games.

A Michigan native, Alderman was born in Detroit (12/10/38) and graduated from Madison Heights High School in 1956. He earned his BS in accounting from the University of Detroit in 1961.

During his collegiate playing career, he was named the University of Detroit's outstanding lineman, and was an All-Catholic All-American in 1959. He played in the Gem City Bowl All-Star Game in 1959 and was named the game's outstanding lineman.

Grady and his wife, Nancy, are the parents of two children, son Robbie (11/16/66) and daughter Christy (8/28/69).

An active sportsman, Alderman lists his hobbies as fishing, hiking, racquetball, golf, motorcycling and snowmobiling.

HEAD COACH

DAN REEVES Head Coach



When Dan Reeves assumed command of the Denver Broncos coaching staff last year, he did so as the youngest coach in the National Football League, at age 37. His first year at the Denver helm produced an impressive 10-6 record with a Broncos team that barely missed participation in 1981 playoff action.

This was accomplished despite a late start for Reeves and his staff, in addition to the implementation of a new offensive system which he brought to the Broncos from Dallas.

Recognized as one of the most successful offensive coaches in the NFL, Reeves had spent his entire

professional career, both as a player and as a coach, with the Dallas Cowboys. He was offensive coordinator for the Cowboys for three seasons, years when the Dallas offense was consistently at or near the top of the NFL.

Reeves had been a member of the Dallas coaching staff since 1970, when he undertook the difficult dual role of player-coach for two seasons. He was full-time offensive backfield coach in 1972, but spent the 1973 season in private business before rejoining the staff, again as backfield coach, in 1974.

In 1977, he took on the job of offensive coordinator where his duties included coaching the quarterbacks and wide receivers.

A native of Americus, Ga. (1/19/44), Reeves began his pro career as a free agent running back in 1965. He had been a quarterback at the University of South Carolina as a college player and was inducted into South Carolina's Hall of Fame five years ago.

An all-purpose offensive back during his eight seasons (1965-72) on the Dallas roster, Reeves finished his career as the Cowboys' fifth all-time leading rusher, despite a series of knee injuries that slowed him in the later stages of his career.

He rushed for 1,990 yards and 25 TDs, and caught 129 passes for 1,693 yards and 17 TDs.

Because of his collegiate QB background, Reeves was also a respected halfback option passer, completing 30 such attempts for a pair of TDs during his career. In addition, he returned some kickoffs and punts along the way, and played in the NFL championship games of 1966, 1967 and 1970.

Reeves and wife Pam are the parents of three children, daughters Dana (9/21/65) and Laura (9/19/70), and son Lee (11/4/67).



ASSISTANT COACHES

MARVIN BASS Special Assistant

With nearly 40 years experience as a coach and administrator in college and professional football, Marvin Bass joins the Denver Broncos coaching staff as a special assistant in 1982.

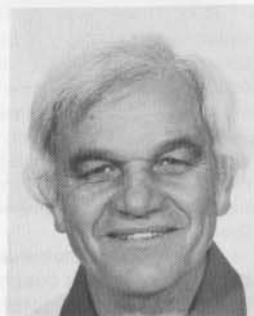
Bass came to Denver from the Canadian Football League, where he had been defensive coordinator of the Calgary Stampeders from 1978-1981.

A native of Norfolk, Virginia who was an All-America at William and Mary in 1942, he elected to go into college coaching after graduation and joined the staff at his alma mater in 1944.

In addition to William and Mary, Bass coached on the college level at North Carolina, Georgia Tech, South Carolina, and the University of Richmond. While head coach at South Carolina Bass coached Dan Reeves, who was the starting quarterback for the Gamecocks.

On the pro level, he was on the Buffalo Bills staff from 1969-71 and spent two years with the Birmingham franchise in the World Football League, including one season as head coach (1975). After the WFL ceased operations Bass rejoined the Buffalo Bills, this time as Director of Pro Scouting from 1975-77, prior to moving to Calgary in 1978.

Marvin and his wife, Audrey, have one son, Wallace, and two grandsons, Lee and Rhett.



JOE COLLIER

Assistant Head Coach/Defense

The senior member of the Denver Broncos' coaching staff, Joe Collier was promoted to the position of assistant head coach/defense during the off-season. Recognized as the mastermind of Denver's strong defensive unit, Collier begins his 14th season with the Broncos in 1982.

Collier was on Lou Saban's staff at Western Illinois from 1957 through 1959, then moved with Saban to the Boston Patriots of the American Football League in 1960-61, and on to Buffalo in 1962.

He served as head coach of the Bills in 1966-67-68, then rejoined Saban's staff with the Broncos in 1969.

Collier was an All-Big Ten selection as an end during his college days at Northwestern, and played in the Senior Bowl and the East-West Shrine game. Drafted by the New York Giants, he chose instead to spend the next two years in the Army, after which he joined the coaching ranks at Western Illinois.

Joe and his wife, Shirley, have three children, Julie, Lisa, and Joe.



ROD DOWHOWER

Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers

Rod Dowhower is in his third season as the Broncos' offensive coordinator in 1982, and for the second straight year he will coach the club's wide receivers as well.

Formerly head coach at Stanford University, Dowhower led the Cardinals to a 5-5-1 record in 1979, after having been offensive coordinator there in 1977-78.

He began his career as a quarterback and receivers coach at San Diego State in 1966-67 and was the offensive coordinator from 1968-72. Dowhower then went to St. Louis in the NFL, where he coached the quarterbacks and receivers for one year before returning to college coaching in 1974 at UCLA.

Dowhower served as offensive coordinator there in 1974-75 and spent 1976 in the same capacity at Boise State.

An Ord, Nebraska native, he has a bachelor's degree from San Diego State, where he played college football, and a master's degree from U.S. International University.

Dowhower earned All-Coast and small college All-America honors as a quarterback at San Diego State in 1964.

Rod and his wife Nancy have two sons, Brian and Deron.



JERRY FREI

Offensive Line

Jerry Frei returned to the Denver Bronco coaching ranks in 1981, following three seasons as the Chicago Bears' offensive line coach (1978-80) and two in the same capacity at Tampa Bay (1976-77). Frei's previous coaching stint with the Broncos was from 1972-75, making the 1982 campaign his sixth in Denver.

Frei spent 12 years as a collegiate assistant coach at the University of Oregon from 1955 through 1966.

He succeeded Len Casanova as the Ducks' head coach in 1967. Oregon compiled a 22-29-2 record during his five years as head coach, and the Ducks' 1970 record of 6-4-1 was good enough for second place in the Pac-Eight. That finish remains Oregon's highest conference finish to date.

Frei was an offensive lineman on the standout Wisconsin teams of 1942, 1946 and 1947. He is a 1948 graduate of the University of Wisconsin.

His first collegiate coaching experience came from 1952-54 at Williamette University.

Jerry and his wife Marion have five children, sons David and Terry, and daughters Judy, Susan, and Nancy.



STAN JONES

Defensive Line

One of the leading linemen in the National Football League in his playing days, Stan Jones is marking his 29th consecutive year in pro football in 1982.

This is the 12th season as defensive line coach of the Broncos for Jones, who is on his second tour of duty in the Mile High City.

Jones served on the Bronco staff under Lou Saban from 1967 to 1971, spent the next four years with Saban in Buffalo, then rejoined the Broncos in 1976.

Jones was an All-American tackle at Maryland in 1953 and was named the nation's Lineman of the Year. In 1977, he was named to the Atlantic Coast Conference's 25-year All-Star team. He has been honored by the Maryland Alumni Association as Man of the Year, and is a member of Pennsylvania's Sports Hall of Fame.

He played 12 years with the Chicago Bears and one with the Washington Redskins, gaining All-Pro honors as an offensive guard four times and appearing in seven Pro Bowls.

Stan and his wife, Darlis, have a daughter, Sherrie, and two sons, Kevin and Tony.



RICHIE McCABE

Defensive Backs

A veteran professional coach and a former American Football League All-Star, Richie McCabe enters his fifth season as the Broncos' defensive backfield coach in 1982.

In 1977, McCabe was the defensive coordinator for the Buffalo Bills, where his pro coaching career had begun in 1966. He was on the Oakland Raiders' staff in 1969 and 1970, before moving to Cleveland for a five-year stint. He rejoined the Bills in 1976.

McCabe was a 22nd round draft choice of the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1955, and played four years with the Steelers and one with the Washington Redskins. He joined the Bills as a player in 1960, when he was named to the All-AFL team.

A native of Pittsburgh, he was a two-way starter for the Pitt Panthers. Richie and his wife, Judith, have two daughters, Kelly and Erin.



NICK NICOLAU

Running Backs

Nick Nicolau this year assumes the duties of running back coach for the Broncos, after having served as the club's special assistant on the coaching staff in 1981. A veteran of 20 years as a coach in college and professional football, he was on the staff of the New Orleans Saints in 1980.

Nicolau was a running back at Southern Connecticut College and coached there in 1960. He went to



Springfield (Mass.) in 1961 and Bridgeport (Conn.) from 1962-64 as an assistant coach and was head coach at Bridgeport from 1965-69.

Nicolau was an assistant at Massachusetts in 1970, Connecticut 1971-72, Kentucky 1973-75 and Kent State 1976. He joined the Hamilton Tiger-Cats as backfield coach in 1977 and held that post with the Montreal Alouettes in 1978-79.

Nicolau and his wife, Eleanor, have four daughters, Tracy, Shari, Vickie and Wendy, and two sons, Duane and Randy.

FRAN POLSFOOT

Tight Ends/Special Teams

This season marks Fran Polsfoot's 21st as a coach in the NFL and his sixth as a member of the Bronco staff. Polsfoot this year will assume the duties of special teams coach for the Broncos, while retaining his position as tight end coach. He coached all the receivers for his first four seasons in Denver.

He has been in the pro ranks since 1962 when he began a six-year hitch with the St. Louis Cardinals, following that as a member of the Houston Oilers' staff from 1968-71.

Polsfoot spent the next three years with the Cleveland Browns before rejoining the Oilers for 1975-76.

A native of Monsanto, Washington, Polsfoot is a graduate of Washington State, where he played end for the Cougars.

He played pro football with the Chicago Cardinals from 1950-52 and with the Washington Redskins in 1953, earning a berth in the NFL's second annual Pro Bowl game following the 1951 season.

Fran and his wife, Mary, have a daughter, Sally, and a son, Tommy.



BOB ZEMAN

Linebackers

An American Football League All-Star as a Bronco defensive back in 1962, Zeman enters his fifth season as Denver's linebacker coach in 1982.

Zeman was the defensive backfield coach of the Oakland Raiders from 1971 through 1977.

He started his AFL playing career with the San Diego Chargers in 1960 and 1961, and came to the Broncos in a trade in 1962. After two seasons in Denver, he went to the New York Jets as a part of the historic nine-player trade in 1964. He concluded his career with the Chargers in 1965-66.

A 1954 prep All-American in his home town of Wheaton, Illinois, Zeman went on to become the co-captain for Wisconsin's 1959 Big Ten Champions. Before joining the Raiders in 1971, he coached at Wisconsin in 1970 and Northwestern in 1968-69.

Zeman and his wife, Kathy, have three sons and a daughter, Clarke, Eddie, Donnie, and Jennifer.



ADMINISTRATION

SANDY WATERS

Business Manager

Alexander R. (Sandy) Waters, 41, joined the Denver Broncos as Business Manager on May 1, 1982.

Waters came to the Broncos with 22 years of experience with The Kaiser Companies.

He has worked in the planning and implementation of operations, administration, budget development, and personnel management for the Kaisers. His role with the Broncos is to assist in all business aspects of the club.

Waters attended Oakland City College and the University of California at Berkeley.

Sandy and his wife, Connie, are the parents of two sons, Colin and Brian.



JOHN BEAKE

Director of Player Personnel

This marks John Beake's fourth season as a member of the Denver Broncos and his second as the club's Director of Player Personnel.

Beake is in charge of keeping tabs on all veteran players in the NFL, which entails recording players' movements such as trades and waivers, and he also is involved in both the evaluation and the acquisition of new players.

He was Director of Pro Personnel for his first two seasons with the Broncos.

An assistant coach for the Kansas City Chiefs from 1968 through 1974, Beake was the offensive backfield coach for the New Orleans Saints in 1976-77.

On the college level, he coached at Penn State in 1961-62 and was the offensive coordinator at Colorado State University in 1975. Beake coached on the high school level for six years prior to joining the Penn State staff in 1961.

He has a degree from Trenton State College in New Jersey and a master's degree from Penn State.

Beake and his wife, Marcia, have three children, Jerilyn, Chip, and Christopher, and the family makes its home in Fort Collins.



CARROLL HARDY

Coordinator of College Scouting

Carroll Hardy begins his 19th year in the Bronco organization in 1982.

Hardy's responsibilities are in the area of the college draft and scouting. He also works with the pro scouting department, playing an active role in evaluating talent and in the acquisition of free agents.

Hardy has long been considered one of the greatest athletes produced by Colorado since winning a modern record of 10 letters at the University of Colorado (four each in football and baseball and two in track).

After graduating from Colorado in 1955 with a degree in education, Carroll signed a baseball contract with the Cleveland Indians and was drafted in the third round by football's San Francisco 49ers, playing that season as a wide receiver and running back.

After spending 1956 and 1957 in the Army, he returned to the Indians in 1958. He played in the outfield for the Indians until 1960, when he was traded to the Boston Red Sox. That year, Carroll became the only man ever to pinch hit for Ted Williams.

Hardy remained in baseball until the fall of 1965, when he joined the Broncos as a scout. He became assistant ticket manager for the club in 1969, and assumed the duties of scouting in 1970. He was Director of Player Personnel from 1977 through 1980.

In recognition of his great athletic career in baseball, football, and track, Hardy was inducted into the Colorado Sports Hall of Fame on February 19, 1979.

A native of South Dakota, Hardy also is a member of the South Dakota Sports Hall of Fame.

A resident of Boulder, Hardy and his wife, Janice, have three children, Jay, Jill, and Lisa.



REED JOHNSON

Coordinator of Pro Scouting

Reed Johnson, who spent eight seasons as a talent scout for the Dallas Cowboys before coming to Denver in 1981 as special teams coach, this year becomes Coordinator of Pro Scouting for the Broncos.

Johnson coordinates the activities of Denver's pro scouts, with emphasis in the area of free agent acquisitions.

Prior to his stint with the Cowboys, Johnson was an assistant coach at the University of New Mexico for three seasons and at Oklahoma State and Tulsa for one season at each school.

A graduate of the University of Colorado, Johnson played in the Buffalos' defensive backfield for four years. He concluded his playing career at CU in 1961 as a member of the school's Big Eight championship squad that season.

In addition, he coached high school football in Texas for five seasons, including four at Highland Park High School in Dallas, where Johnson himself had played on a state championship team in 1957.

Reed and his wife, Peggy, reside in Denver.



ROBERT M. HURLEY

Treasurer

Robert M. (Bob) Hurley was promoted to the position of club Treasurer in 1981, after having served as the Broncos' accountant from 1977 through 1980.

In his position as the organization's Treasurer, Hurley oversees all financial activities of the Denver Broncos.

A fifth generation native of Denver, Hurley graduated from Regis High School and the University of Colorado, where he received a BS degree in finance. Before joining the Broncos he served as a Corporate Development Officer and National Loan Officer at the First National Bank of Denver.

Bob and his wife, Sallie, are the parents of three children, sons Ryan and Daniel, and daughter Erin, and the family lives in Denver.



CHARLIE LEE

Director of Public Relations

Moving into the administrative field as Director of Public Relations in 1981 is Charlie Lee, who joined the Broncos last year as the team's running back coach.

Charlie came to Denver from the University of Texas at Austin, where he tutored the Longhorns' wide receivers from 1977-80.

Prior to his experience at Texas, Lee coached at Arizona from 1974-76 and at Northwest Missouri State in 1973.

He began his coaching career as a highly successful prep coach in football and track at Kansas City (Missouri) Central High School for five years. His track teams won five consecutive state titles.

Lee was a leading scorer and rusher at Northern Arizona, and twice earned honorable mention to the Little All-America teams. He is a 1968 graduate of Northern Arizona with a BS degree in education and is working toward a master's degree in secondary school administration.

Charlie has a son, Charles, Jr.



GAIL STUCKEY

Ticket Manager

Gail Stuckey begins his eighth season as the Broncos' Ticket Manager in 1982.

A San Diego native, he joined the Broncos in 1975 after serving ten years as assistant ticket manager for the San Diego Chargers. He began his tenure with the Chargers in 1965.

Stuckey attended San Diego State University, where he played baseball and basketball and is a veteran of a four-year stint in the United States Air Force, stationed in Germany.

Gail and his wife, Pat, have two daughters, Lynette and Gail Rene.



JIM SACCOMANO

Publicity Director

Denver native Jim Saccomano is in his fifth year as a member of the Denver Broncos organization.

He is a graduate of Metropolitan State College in Denver and has a master's degree in journalism from the University of Colorado.

Prior to joining the Broncos, Saccomano worked for three seasons as Director of Public Relations for the Denver Bears baseball team, and also spent three years in Denver broadcasting as a sports reporter. He is a veteran of the United States Army.

Saccomano is a member of the board of directors of the Colorado Sports Hall of Fame.

Jim and his wife, Jo Ann, have two children, Jennifer and Jeffrey, and reside in Adams County.



RICK SCHLOSS

Assistant to the Chairman of the Board

This marks the second season for Rick Schloss as Assistant to the Chairman of the Board of the Broncos. Schloss joined the Denver organization in July of 1981, coming to the Broncos from the San Diego Clippers of the National Basketball Association, where he worked in the marketing department.

A San Diego native, he worked in the public relations department of the San Diego Chargers from 1977-81, and prior to that was a member of the athletic department staff at San Diego State in 1975-76.

A 1977 graduate of San Diego State, Schloss earned two letters as a member of the Aztec baseball team.

Rick is single and resides in Denver.



LARRY ELLIOTT

Equipment Manager

Larry Elliott has served the Broncos as Equipment Manager since 1965, and he includes pre-season training camp arrangements and road game lodging in his areas of responsibility.

An outstanding athlete in his own right, Elliott was a ten-letter winner at St. Mary's High School in Colorado Springs. He declined scholarship offers in both football and baseball to enlist in the Air Force. While stationed at Tripoli's Wheelus Air Force Base, he won All-European honors as a third baseman.

Larry and his wife, Margaret, live in Lakewood with their five children — Timothy, Troy, Thomas, Terry, and Tammie.



STEVE ANTONOPULOS

Head Athletic Trainer

Now in his second year as Head Athletic Trainer is Steve Antonopoulos, who was Director of Rehabilitation in 1980 and the Broncos' Assistant Trainer for four years previously. This is his seventh year with the team.

Antonopoulos came to the Broncos from Fort Hays (Kansas) State, where he was the chief athletic trainer and an instructor in the physical education department for three years.

A Hugo, Colorado native, Antonopoulos holds bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley.

Steve and his wife, Kathy, have three children, Nick, Matt, and Kristi, and the family resides in Arvada.



CHUCK COOKE

Director of Youth/Community Relations

As Director of Youth/Community Relations, Chuck Cooke is in charge of a program that is new for the Broncos and the NFL. Cooke's role is to develop and implement a strategy that will enable the team to increase its usefulness for youth in the Denver area.

A Denver native, he came to the Broncos during the 1981 season. Cooke previously was the director of Metro Denver Young Life and has been involved with Young Life for 16 years. In addition, Cooke was Vice-President of Trademark, Inc., a Denver-area firm.

He is a graduate of Wheat Ridge High School and the University of Colorado.

Chuck and his wife, Gwen, have two sons, Chuck and Wade, and make their home in Wheat Ridge.



RUSTY NAIL

Director of Photography

Now in his fourth year as the Denver Broncos' Director of Photography, Rusty Nail is in charge of the club's entire film department. This includes the filming of all Bronco games and practice sessions, as well as film processing and editing.

Nail's prior experience takes in five years of handling the film work of the Kansas City Chiefs, as well as two years spent in television handling a variety of free lance film projects.

A native of Fayetteville, Arkansas, Nail is a graduate of the Winona School of Professional Photography.

Rusty and his wife, Peggy, have two daughters, Katie and Diana, and live in Longmont.



RONNIE BILL

Superintendent of Facilities

This season marks Ronnie Bill's 22nd as a member of the Denver Broncos organization and his third as the Superintendent of Facilities. As such, he is responsible for the team's entire physical plant, including maintenance of the buildings and practice fields which make up the Broncos' complex.

Most of Bill's tenure with the club was spent as Assistant Equipment Manager. He worked for the Denver Bears baseball team for three years before the Broncos began operation.

He is a Denver native and a graduate of Denver North High School.

Ronnie and his wife, Myrna, have a son, Gerry, and live in Wheat Ridge.



JIM CLARK

Director of Data Processing

As Director of Data Processing for the Broncos, Jim Clark is in charge of all computer operations for the team. These include tickets, scouting information, game statistics, and general accounting. A 25-year veteran in the data processing field, Clark has been with the Broncos for six years.

A native of Springfield, Illinois, Clark has been a Certified Data Processor since 1965. He is a graduate of Metropolitan State College in Denver with a BS degree in computers and management science.

Jim and his wife, Gloria, have two daughters, Kimberly and Gail, and live in Littleton.



ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF



Ric Pisarcik
Assistant Trainer



Ed Sellar
Assistant Trainer



Bill Harpole
Assistant Director
of Photography



Lorraine Dieleman
Administrative
Assistant



Yolanda Saltus
Administrative
Assistant



Joan Baker
Assistant Ticket
Manager



Debbie Christian
Accountant



Beverly Havens
Accountant



Cheryl Heyen
Ticket Assistant



Betty Combs
Secretary



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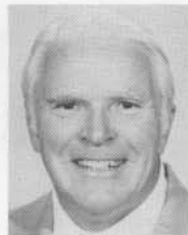
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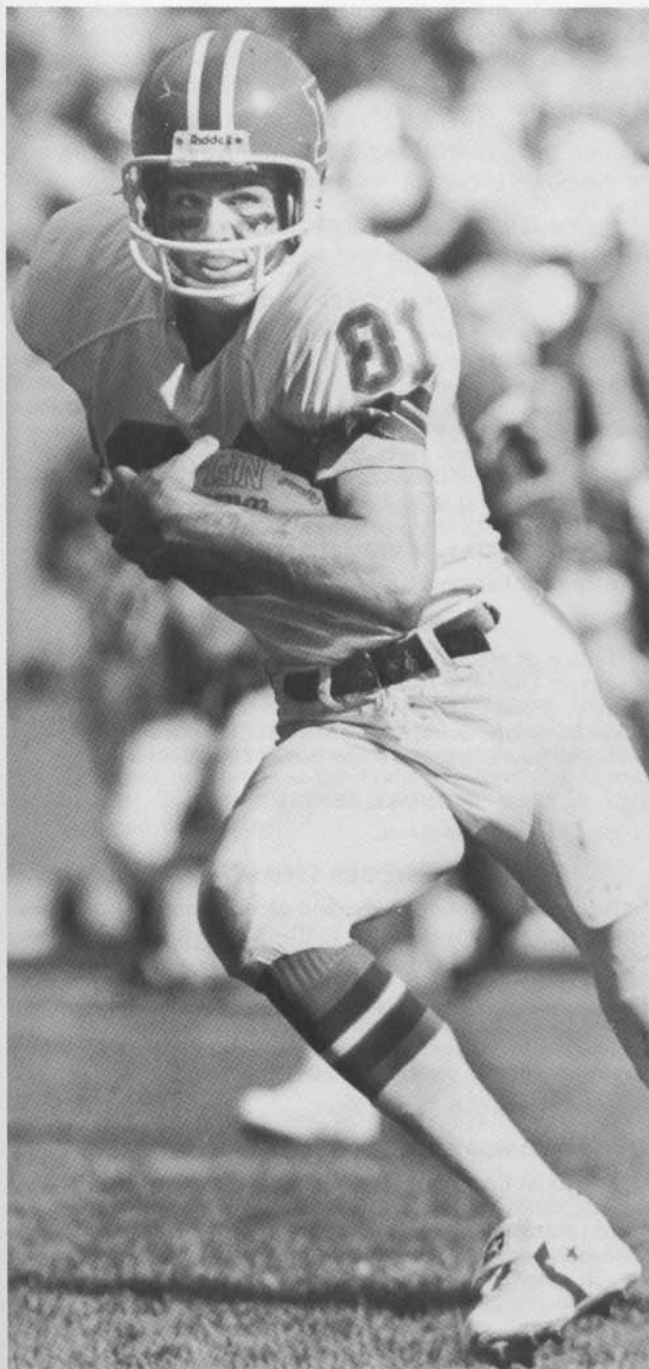


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THE 1982 SEASON



Steve Watson, Denver's Offensive MVP in 1981.

1982 NFL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 (First Weekend)

Atlanta at New York Giants, Chicago at Detroit, Cleveland at Seattle, Houston at Cincinnati, Kansas City at Buffalo, Los Angeles vs. Green Bay at Milw., Miami at New York Jets, New England at Baltimore, Oakland at San Francisco, St. Louis at New Orleans, San Diego at Denver, Tampa Bay at Minnesota, Washington at Philadelphia.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

Pittsburgh at Dallas.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 (Second Weekend)

Minnesota at Buffalo.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

Baltimore at Miami, Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, Dallas at St. Louis, Detroit at Los Angeles, New Orleans at Chicago, New York Jets at New England, Oakland at Atlanta, Philadelphia at Cleveland, San Diego at Kansas City, San Francisco at Denver, Seattle at Houston, Washington at Tampa Bay.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

Green Bay at New York Giants.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 (Third Weekend)

Atlanta at Kansas City.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

Buffalo at Houston, Chicago at San Francisco, Dallas at Minnesota, Denver at New Orleans, Los Angeles at Philadelphia, Miami at Green Bay, New York Giants at Pittsburgh, New York Jets at Baltimore, Oakland at San Diego, St. Louis at Washington, Seattle at New England, Tampa Bay at Detroit.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

Cincinnati at Cleveland.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3 (Fourth Weekend)

Baltimore at Detroit, Cleveland at Washington, Houston at New York Jets, Kansas City at Seattle, Los Angeles at St. Louis, Miami at Cincinnati, Minnesota at Chicago, New England at Buffalo, New Orleans at Oakland, New York Giants at Dallas, Philadelphia vs. Green Bay at Milw., Pittsburgh at Denver, San Diego at Atlanta.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 4

San Francisco at Tampa Bay.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10 (Fifth Weekend)

Atlanta at Los Angeles, Buffalo at Baltimore, Cincinnati at New England, Cleveland at Oakland, Denver at New York Jets, Detroit at Miami, Green Bay at Chicago, Houston at Kansas City, Minnesota at Tampa Bay, St. Louis at New York Giants, San Francisco at New Orleans, Seattle at San Diego, Washington at Dallas.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 11

Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17 (Sixth Weekend)

Atlanta at Detroit, Baltimore at Cleveland, Chicago at St. Louis, Cincinnati at New York Giants, Dallas at Philadelphia, Denver at Houston, Kansas City at San Diego, Los Angeles at San Francisco, New England at Miami, New Orleans at Minnesota, Oakland at Seattle, Pittsburgh at Washington, Tampa Bay at Green Bay.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 18

Buffalo at New York Jets.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24 (Seventh Weekend)

Cleveland at Pittsburgh, Dallas at Cincinnati, Detroit at Buffalo, Green Bay at Minnesota, Miami at Baltimore, New Orleans at Los Angeles, New York Jets at Kansas City, Oakland at Denver, St. Louis at New England, San Diego at Seattle, San Francisco at Atlanta, Tampa Bay at Chicago, Washington at Houston.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 25

New York Giants at Philadelphia.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31 (Eighth Weekend)

Atlanta at New Orleans, Buffalo at Denver, Chicago at Green Bay, Dallas at New York Giants, Houston at Cleveland, Los Angeles at San Diego, Miami at Oakland, New England at New York Jets, Philadelphia at St. Louis, Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, San Francisco at Washington, Seattle at Kansas City, Tampa Bay at Baltimore.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Detroit at Minnesota.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7 (Ninth Weekend)

Atlanta at Chicago, Baltimore at New England, Denver at Seattle, Detroit at Philadelphia, Green Bay at Tampa Bay, Houston at Pittsburgh, Kansas City at Oakland, Los Angeles at New Orleans, Minnesota at San Francisco, New York Giants at Cleveland, New York Jets at Buffalo, St. Louis at Dallas, Washington at Cincinnati.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8

San Diego at Miami.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14 (Tenth Weekend)

Buffalo at New England, Chicago at Tampa Bay, Cincinnati at Houston, Cleveland at Miami, Dallas at San Francisco, Denver at Kansas City, Green Bay at Detroit, Minnesota at Washington, New Orleans at San Diego, New York Giants at Los Angeles, New York Jets at Pittsburgh, Oakland at Baltimore, Seattle at St. Louis.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Philadelphia at Atlanta.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21 (Eleventh Weekend)

Baltimore at New York Jets, Cincinnati at Philadelphia, Detroit at Chicago, Kansas City at New Orleans, Los Angeles at Atlanta, Miami at Buffalo, Minnesota vs. Green Bay at Milw., New England at Cleveland, Pittsburgh at Houston, San Francisco at St. Louis, Seattle at Denver, Tampa Bay at Dallas, Washington at New York Giants.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22

San Diego at Oakland.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25 *(Twelfth Weekend)*

(Thanksgiving Day)

Cleveland at Dallas, New York Giants at Detroit.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28

Baltimore at Buffalo, Chicago at Minnesota, Denver at San Diego, Green Bay at New York Jets, Houston at New England, Kansas City at Los Angeles, New Orleans at San Francisco, Oakland at Cincinnati, Philadelphia at Washington, Pittsburgh at Seattle, St. Louis at Atlanta.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29

Miami at Tampa Bay.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2 *(Thirteenth Weekend)*

San Francisco at Los Angeles.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5

Atlanta at Denver, Buffalo vs. Green Bay at Milw., Cincinnati at Baltimore, Dallas at Washington, Houston at New York Giants, Kansas City at Pittsburgh, Minnesota at Miami, New England at Chicago, St. Louis at Philadelphia, San Diego at Cleveland, Seattle at Oakland, Tampa Bay at New Orleans.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6

New York Jets at Detroit.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11 *(Fourteenth Weekend)*

Philadelphia at New York Giants, San Diego at San Francisco.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12

Baltimore at Minnesota, Chicago at Seattle, Cleveland at Cincinnati, Denver at Los Angeles, Detroit at Green Bay, Miami at New England, New Orleans at Atlanta, Oakland at Kansas City, Pittsburgh at Buffalo, Tampa Bay at New York Jets, Washington at St. Louis.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13

Dallas at Houston.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18 *(Fifteenth Weekend)*

Los Angeles at Oakland, New York Jets at Miami.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19

Atlanta at San Francisco, Buffalo at Tampa Bay, Green Bay at Baltimore, Houston at Philadelphia, Kansas City at Denver, Minnesota at Detroit, New England at Seattle, New Orleans at Dallas, New York Giants at Washington, Pittsburgh at Cleveland, St. Louis at Chicago.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20

Cincinnati at San Diego.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26 *(Sixteenth Weekend)*

Baltimore at San Diego, Chicago at Los Angeles, Cleveland at Houston, Denver at Oakland, Detroit at Tampa Bay, Green Bay at Atlanta, New England at Pittsburgh, New York Giants at St. Louis, New York Jets at Minnesota, Philadelphia at Dallas, San Francisco at Kansas City, Seattle at Cincinnati, Washington at New Orleans.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 27

Buffalo at Miami.

POSTSEASON

Sunday, January 2 — NFL First Round Playoffs. **Saturday, January 8** — AFC and NFC Divisional Playoffs. **Sunday, January 9** — AFC and NFC Divisional Playoffs. **Sunday, January 16** — AFC Championship Game, NFC Championship Game. **Sunday, January 30** — Super Bowl XVII at Rose Bowl, Pasadena, Calif. **Sunday, February 6** — AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Honolulu, Hawaii.

1982 NFL PRESEASON SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 7: Hall of Fame Game, Baltimore vs. Minnesota, Canton, Ohio.

FIRST WEEK

Thursday, August 12: New Orleans at Houston. **Friday, August 13:** Cincinnati at Kansas City, St. Louis at Seattle. **Saturday, August 14:** Buffalo at Dallas, Cleveland at Detroit, Denver at Los Angeles, Minnesota at Atlanta, New York Jets at Green Bay, New York Giants at Baltimore, Oakland at San Francisco, Philadelphia at Tampa Bay, Pittsburgh vs. New England (Knoxville), Washington at Miami. **Monday, August 16:** Chicago at San Diego.

SECOND WEEK

Thursday, August 19: Los Angeles at Cleveland. **Friday, August 20:** Cincinnati vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee, New England at Philadelphia. **Saturday, August 21:** Atlanta vs. Baltimore (Phoenix), Chicago at Buffalo, Dallas at San Diego, Kansas City at New Orleans, Miami at Denver, Oakland at Detroit, Pittsburgh at New York Giants, St. Louis at San Francisco, Seattle at Minnesota, Washington at Tampa Bay. **Sunday, August 22:** New York Jets at Houston.

THIRD WEEK

Friday, August 27: Buffalo at Washington, Philadelphia at Atlanta. **Saturday, August 28:** Baltimore at Pittsburgh, Cleveland at New Orleans, Detroit at Cincinnati, Green Bay at Oakland, Miami at Kansas City, Minnesota at Denver, New England at Dallas, New York Jets at New York Giants, St. Louis at Chicago, San Francisco at San Diego, Seattle at Los Angeles, Tampa Bay at Houston.

FOURTH WEEK

Friday, September 3: Atlanta at Tampa Bay, New Orleans at Minnesota, New York Giants at Miami, San Francisco at Seattle, Washington at Cincinnati. **Saturday, September 4:** Baltimore at Chicago, Cleveland at Oakland, Denver at N.Y. Jets (Meadowlands), Detroit at Buffalo, Green Bay at New England, Houston at Dallas, Kansas City at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, San Diego at Los Angeles.

VETERAN PLAYER PROFILES



Bob Swenson, Denver's Defensive MVP in 1981.

No. 54 KEITH BISHOP

Center/Guard



Birthdate—March 10, 1957
Birthplace—La Jolla, Calif.
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #6, 1980
College—Baylor
High School—Lee HS, Midland, Tex.
Height—6-3
Weight—265
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—3rd

Keith Bishop missed the entire 1981 season due to a torn tendon on the bottom of his right foot. His complete recovery is expected for 1982. He played in all 16 1980 games, mostly on special teams, but saw relief work at both center and guard when the regulars at those positions were hurt. Bishop served as the kick snapper throughout his rookie year. Keith can bench press his body weight more than 17 times. He participated in NBC's 1981 World's Strongest Men competition and placed sixth overall, winning the sumo wrestling championship of the United States Sumo Association in the process. His speed has been timed at 4.8 seconds in the 40-yard dash.

COLLEGE: Keith began his career at the University of Nebraska, where he was a teammate of Bronco tackle Kelvin Clark. He played two years at Nebraska then transferred to Baylor, where he started every game at center in 1978 and was elected a tri-captain for 1979, but suffered a knee injury in the first game and missed the remainder of the season. He majored in physical education.

PERSONAL: Keith is married (Mary). At Lee HS in Midland, Texas, he lettered twice each in football and baseball. In football he played guard and center on offense and tackle on defense. Bishop was a pitcher in baseball. Keith lists hunting, fishing, and archery as his hobbies.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980 (16), 1981 (Injured reserve).
GAMES STARTED: None.

No. 77 GREGORY EARL (Greg) BOYD

Defensive End



Birthdate—Sept. 15, 1953
Birthplace—Merced, Calif.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—San Diego State
High School—Edison HS, Fresno, Calif.
Height—6-6
Weight—280
Pro Year—5th
Year with Broncos—3rd

Greg Boyd has played in all but one of Denver's games since making the team as a free agent in 1980. Last year he was in on 32 tackles and posted one quarterback sack, but in 1980 he wound up as the club's second leading defender in terms of sacks with nine. He was in on a total of 42 tackles during his first season in Denver. Greg came to the Broncos after three injury-plagued seasons with the New England Patriots. He was a sixth-round draft choice of the Patriots in 1976, but missed that entire season with a knee injury. Boyd played in 13 games in 1977 and 10 in

1978, despite having broken an ankle in the pre-season that year. He has bench pressed 545 pounds and has been timed at 4.8 seconds in the 40-yard dash.

COLLEGE: Greg played his first football at Fresno JC, as he had not played the sport in high school. He moved to San Diego State in 1974, where he became a starter that season. Boyd then became a standout performer for the Aztecs in 1973. He was a teammate of Bronco tackle Claudie Minor at San Diego State.

PERSONAL: Born in Merced, California, he attended Edison HS in Fresno, where he grew up. Greg did not participate in high school athletics. His off-season activities this past year included speaking to high school groups on the benefits of proper nutrition, exercise, and body building. Boyd also does programs with youth correctional centers. He is single.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1977 (13), 1978 (10), 1979 (DNP), 1980 (16), 1981 (15).

GAMES STARTED: None.

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1980; recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 64 WILLIAM KIRBY (Billy) BRYAN

Center



Birthdate—June 21, 1955

Birthplace—Burlington, N.C.

Residence—Burlington, N.C.

How Acquired—Draft #4, 1977

College—Duke

High School—Williams HS,
Burlington, N.C.

Height—6-2

Weight—258

Pro Year—6th

Year with Broncos—6th

Billy Bryan is considered a strong contributor to the fine Broncos offensive line play of the past three seasons. He started 14 games last year, missing two due to injury. After joining the Broncos as a fourth-round draft choice in 1977, he missed all but one game that year because of injury, but took over the starting job in 1978 and has held it ever since. Bryan was voted Denver's Earl Hartman Award as the team's most valuable player on offense for the 1980 season.

COLLEGE: Billy was a first team All-Atlantic Coast player at Duke, received several All-America honors, and earned four varsity letters, all at center. He capped his senior season by playing in the East-West Shrine game in San Francisco. Bryan graduated from Duke with a degree in economics.

PERSONAL: Billy is married (Susan), and they make their off-season home in Burlington, N.C., where he is 50% owner of a sporting goods store which has been operated by his family for many years. His father was a Little All-America at Elon College in North Carolina, and he has an uncle who was an outstanding player at Clemson. At Williams HS in Burlington, Bryan earned three football letters as a defensive tackle and two in track as a shot put and discus thrower. Billy lists sailing and target shooting as his hobbies.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1977 (1), 1978 (13), 1979 (16), 1980 (16), 1981 (14).

GAMES STARTED: 1978 (12), 1979 (16), 1980 (16), 1981 (14).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1979; fumbled twice for minus 20 yards, recovered one fumble, 1980; fumbled once, 1981.

No. 58 STEVE RAY BUSICK

Linebacker



Birthdate—December 10, 1958

Birthplace—Los Angeles, Calif.

Residence—Aurora, Colo.

How Acquired—Draft #7, 1981

College—Southern California

High School—Temple City HS, Temple
City, Calif.

Height—6-4

Weight—227

Pro Year—2nd

Year with Broncos—2nd

Steve Busick played in every game for the Broncos during his rookie season, despite a recurring shoulder problem which began during training camp. He had off-season surgery on his shoulder, and a full recovery is anticipated before this year's training camp begins. Mostly a special teams performer in 1981, Busick had two fumble recoveries in his rookie campaign.

COLLEGE: Steve was hampered by injuries during his freshman and sophomore seasons, but he played well as a junior and as a senior earned honorable mention Pac-10 honors. In 1980 he posted 102 tackles, second highest total on the USC defensive unit. Busick closed out his college career with an appearance in the Blue-Gray game.

PERSONAL: He graduated from Temple City (Calif.) HS, where he lettered three times as a linebacker. Steve is single and his hobbies include music, fishing, and, when in California, going to the beach.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1981 (16).

GAMES STARTED: None.

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles for three yards, 1981.

No. 35 LAWRENCE L. (Larry) CANADA

Running Back



Birthdate—Dec. 16, 1954

Birthplace—Chicago, Ill.

Residence—Aurora, Colo.

How Acquired—FA, 1977

College—Wisconsin

High School—Austin HS, Chicago, Ill.

Height—6-2

Weight—226

Pro Year—4th

Year with Broncos—4th

Larry Canada played in every Bronco game last year, concentrating on special teams and short yardage situations offensively. He averaged 3.4 yards per carry, but had the very unusual accomplishment of scoring on four consecutive times handling the ball over a four-week span. Canada ran for one touchdown and caught a pass for another in his only two plays

with the ball at Tampa Bay, ran for a TD at San Diego two weeks later (he did not touch the ball in the intervening game), and capped the scoring streak by rushing for a touchdown against Kansas City the following week. In 1979 Canada was cited by teammates as the special teams MVP, and in 1981 he blocked a punt vs. Tampa Bay. His longest run as a pro was a 47-yard effort against Kansas City in 1978, and his best single-game performance was in the first KC game that year, a 23-17 Bronco overtime win in which he ran for 94 yards on 14 carries. Canada was first signed as a free agent in 1977, but left camp for personal reasons that year, coming back to make the team the following year.

COLLEGE: Larry established himself as Wisconsin's sixth all-time leading rusher during his college career, earning four varsity letters while majoring in commercial arts and Afro/American studies. Canada played in the East-West Shrine game and in the Japan Bowl.

PERSONAL: Larry is married (Cecilia), and they have a daughter, Carmella Cynthia Irene (3/4/77), and a son, Lawrence Arthur (5/20/81). At Austin HS in Chicago, he earned two football letters as a running back and linebacker, and also won a letter as a basketball forward.

Professional Record

	RUSHING						RECEIVING			
	Games	Starts	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1978-Denver	16	0	79	365	4.6	3	6	37	6.2	0
1979-Denver	16	0	36	143	4.0	0	3	36	12.0	0
1980-Denver			None				(Injured Reserve)			
1981-Denver	16	0	33	113	3.4	3	3	37	12.3	1
TOTALS ...	48	0	148	621	4.2	6	12	110	9.2	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once and recovered one fumble, 1978; fumbled twice and recovered two fumbles for 5 yards, returned three kickoffs for 31 yards, 1979; fumbled once, recovered one fumble, blocked one punt, and returned two kickoffs for 19 yards, 1981.

No. 68 RUBIN CARTER

Nose Tackle



Birthdate—Dec. 12, 1952
Birthplace—Pompano Beach, Fla.
Residence—Aurora, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #5b, 1975
College—Miami (Fla.)
High School—Stranahan HS, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
Height—6-0
Weight—256
Pro Year—8th
Year with Broncos—8th

Rubin Carter started every game at nose tackle in 1981 and led all of Denver's defensive linemen with 101 tackles, fifth highest total on the team. He added three quarterback sacks and a fumble recovery as a very consistent performer. Since joining the Broncos in 1975, he has missed just one game, that due to injury in 1979. Carter's career tackle total now is 739, an average of over 105 per year, while his career sack total is 24. With his 16 starts in 1981, Rubin now has started 98 of the 105 pro games in which he has played, first winning a starting job midway through his rookie season. Carter has recovered eight fumbles, including one last year, and he returned one for a touchdown against New England in 1979. Carter gained acclaim in Super Bowl XII when he was credited with six tackles, two assists, two QB sacks, and a

fumble recovery, none of which are included in his career regular season totals.

COLLEGE: Rubin was a two-year letterman at the University of Miami (Fla.), and was selected to the Kodak and UPI All-America teams after his senior year. He also was selected his team's MVP on defense in the Hula Bowl. He graduated from Miami with a degree in business administration.

PERSONAL: Rubin is married (Diana), and he has a son, Rubin Andreil (5/12/79). He sells both real estate and insurance in the off-season, and is very active in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and in Pro Athletes Outreach. At Stranahan HS in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., Carter earned three varsity football letters as a defensive tackle and three as a shot putter in track and field. Rubin lists chess, tennis, ping-pong, swimming, basketball, backgammon, and pool as his hobbies.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1975 (14), 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (16), 1979 (15), 1980 (16), 1981 (16).

GAMES STARTED: 1975 (7), 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (16), 1979 (15), 1980 (16), 1981 (16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1976; recovered one fumble, 1978; recovered two fumbles for 10 yards and one touchdown, 1979; recovered two fumbles, blocked PAT, 1980; recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 79 BARNEY LEWIS CHAVOUS

Defensive End



Birthdate—March 22, 1951
Birthplace—Aiken, S.C.
Residence—Aurora, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #2, 1973
College—South Carolina State
High School—Schofield HS, Aiken, S.C.
Height—6-3
Weight—258
Pro Year—10th
Year with Broncos—10th

Barney Chavous, the senior member of the Broncos' defensive line corps, has not missed a game or a starting assignment for the past four seasons. In 1981, his ninth NFL campaign, he was in on 93 tackles and made four quarterback sacks, and also recovered one fumble. His career totals now reflect 849 tackles and 461 sacks, and six fumble recoveries. Last year he was voted the International Harvester lineman of the game for the Broncos' Monday night victory over Minnesota on November 2. Chavous was named the Pittsburgh Courier's NFL Defensive Lineman of the Year following the 1978 season. He was also named Defensive Rookie of the Year by the NFLPA in 1973.

COLLEGE: Barney was All-Conference and defensive MVP at South Carolina State, where he earned four varsity letters as a defensive end. A three-year starter, he was named All-America by AP, The Football News, and the Pittsburgh Courier, the latter of which also named him collegiate Defensive Lineman of the Year. Chavous capped his college play with appearances in the North-South game, the Senior Bowl, and the Coaches' All-America game. He graduated with a major in physical education.

PERSONAL: Barney is married (Odessa), and they are the parents of three children, son Shedric (2/10/70), and daughters Jasmine (11/18/76) and Nikeya Monique (6/28/78). At Schofield HS in his hometown of Aiken, S.C., he earned one letter in

football, as a linebacker, but lettered twice in track and field as a weight man with the shot and discus. Barney works in real estate and does some farming in the off-season. His hobbies are hunting, fishing, target shooting, and pool.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1973 (14), 1974 (14), 1975 (9), 1976 (13), 1977 (13), 1978 (16), 1979 (16), 1980 (16), 1981 (16).
GAMES STARTED: 1973 (14), 1974 (14), 1975 (9), 1976 (13), 1977 (11), 1978 (16), 1979 (16), 1980 (16), 1981 (16).
ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumble recoveries—1973 (2), 1974 (2), 1980 (1), 1981 (1).

No. 73 KELVIN CLARK

Tackle



Birthdate—Jan. 30, 1956
Birthplace—Odessa, Tex.
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #1, 1979
College—Nebraska
High School—Odessa HS, Odessa, Tex.
Height—6-3
Weight—265
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—4th

Kelvin Clark played in all 16 games last year and started three. He has missed only three games as a pro since joining the Broncos as their number one draft choice in 1979. Kelvin is one of Denver's strongest players and has lifted 900 pounds in sequence 10 times on the leg sled. Kelvin's nickname is "Big Neck," a reference to his 19½ shirt size.

COLLEGE: Kelvin was regarded as the strongest lineman in Nebraska history. He made five first team All-America squads as a senior in 1978 and was honorable mention All-America in 1977. Clark earned three letters and was a two-year starter for the Cornhuskers. A physical education major, he played in the Challenge Bowl and the Hula Bowl after his senior season.

PERSONAL: Kelvin is married (Judy), and makes his home in Englewood. At Odessa HS in his hometown of Odessa, Texas, Clark earned two letters as an offensive tackle in football and one as a third baseman in baseball.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1979 (15), 1980 (14), 1981 (16).
GAMES STARTED: 1980 (5), 1981 (3).

No. 17 STEVE DeBERG

Quarterback



Birthdate—Jan. 19, 1954
Birthplace—Oakland, Calif.
Residence—Littleton, Colo.
How Acquired—Trade with San Francisco, 1981
College—San Jose State
High School—Savanna HS, Anaheim, Calif.
Height—6-3
Weight—205
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—2nd

Steve DeBerg was acquired from San Francisco in exchange for a future draft choice less than one week before the 1981 regular season began. He played in nine games as a quarterback (he also was the holder on kick attempts), leading the Broncos to a win at Tampa Bay after starter Craig Morton left the game due to injury. He started once, at Cincinnati, and went 21-for-34 for 305 yards and two touchdowns. DeBerg had an excellent completion percentage of 59.3 (64-for-108) for the Broncos. He was selected by the Dallas Cowboys in the tenth round of the 1977 draft and was a late cut by the Cowboys, where he was coached by Dan Reeves. DeBerg passed through waivers and signed with San Francisco as a free agent. He was on the 49ers roster for five games in 1977, but did not play. In 1978 he started 11 games, sat out four with a wrist injury, and ended the season with a knee injury (suffered in the season finale) that required surgery. He recovered to have a record-setting campaign in 1979, a season in which he set a 49ers team record with 3,652 passing yards and set an NFL record for completions and attempts (347 of 578), playing every game and starting 15 despite a left wrist fracture that hampered his play. In 1980 with the 49ers he came back from an early season voice problem, caused by a blow to his throat during preseason play, to finish with 1,998 passing yards.

COLLEGE: Steve set nine school records at San Jose State in just one season as a starter. His 1976 statistics for the Spartans included 141 completions in 262 attempts for 2,084 yards, 19 touchdowns and a 53.8 completion percentage. He was named Pacific Coast Athletic Association Offensive Player of the Year as a senior. DeBerg transferred to San Jose State from Fullerton Junior College, where he was a JC All-America. In 1980 he finished his BS degree studies at San Jose State.

PERSONAL: Steve is married (Marcia), and they have a daughter, Amy Marie (2/15/80). The family moved to Littleton, Colo., from Cupertino, Calif., during the off-season. Born in Oakland, DeBerg grew up in Southern California and graduated from Savanna HS in Anaheim. Steve's hobbies include tennis, sailing, and skiing.

Professional Record

Year	Club	PASSING						
		Games	Starts	Att	Comp	Pct.	Yds.	TD
1977	San Francisco	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0
1978	San Francisco	12	11	302	137	45.4	1570	8
1979	San Francisco	16	15	578	347	60.0	3652	17
1980	San Francisco	11	9	321	186	57.9	1998	12
1981	Denver	14	1	108	64	59.3	797	6
TOTALS		53	36	1309	734	56.1	8017	43

Year	Club	RUSHING			
		Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1977	San Francisco	0	0	0	0
1978	San Francisco	15	20	1.3	1
1979	San Francisco	17	10	0.6	0
1980	San Francisco	6	-2	-0.3	0
1981	Denver	9	40	4.4	0
TOTALS		47	68	1.4	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled nine times for minus five yards and recovered two fumbles, 1978; fumbled six times for minus 17 yards and recovered two fumbles, 1979; fumbled four times for minus six yards, 1980; fumbled twice, 1981.

No. 85 RON EGLOFF

Tight End



Birthdate—Oct. 3, 1955
Birthplace—Plymouth, Mich.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1977
College—Wisconsin
High School—Plymouth HS, Plymouth, Mich.
Height—6-5
Weight—227
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—6th

Ron Egloff had his best season as a professional in 1981, catching 17 passes for 231 yards and one touchdown to virtually equal his career totals going into last season. For the second straight season he played in every game, and last year started in six, mostly in two-tight end offensive sets, although he started for the injured Riley Odoms against Kansas City. He had more playing time last season than in any of his first four years since signing as a free agent in 1977.

COLLEGE: Ron earned four varsity letters at Wisconsin, all as a tight end. He majored in sociology.

PERSONAL: Ron is married (Julee), and makes Denver his home. At Plymouth HS in his hometown of Plymouth, Mich., he was a nine-letter man, earning three as a tight end in football, three as a basketball forward, and three as a first baseman on the school baseball team. Ron's hobbies include all kinds of interests, including water skiing, foosball, and crossword puzzles.

Professional Record

		RECEIVING					
Year	Club	Games	Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1977	—Denver	13	0	2	27	13.5	0
1978	—Denver	8	0	4	33	8.3	1
1979	—Denver	15	4	5	70	14.0	0
1980	—Denver	16	4	4	85	14.4	0
1981	—Denver	16	6	17	231	13.6	1
TOTALS		68	14	34	446	13.1	2

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Returned one kickoff for no yards, 1979; returned one kickoff for seven yards, fumbled twice, recovered one fumble for six yards, 1981.

No. 56 LARRY EUGENE EVANS

Linebacker



Birthdate—July 11, 1953
Birthplace—Mountrose, Miss.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #14, 1976
College—Mississippi College
High School—Biloxi HS, Biloxi, Miss.
Height—6-2
Weight—220
Pro Year—7th
Year with Broncos—7th

Larry Evans enjoyed his finest pro season last year, his first as a fulltime starter for the Denver Broncos. Larry started all 16 games and emerged as the team's fourth leading tackler, with 125 tackles, a pass interception, and a fumble recovery. Evans also had two quarterback sacks in a season during which he ran his

consecutive games played streak to 92. He has not missed a game in six years with the Broncos. Before taking over as one of the club's starting inside linebackers, Evans demonstrated his versatility by playing at all four of the linebacking positions at one time or another.

COLLEGE: Larry earned four letters as a linebacker at Mississippi College, was named defensive MVP as a sophomore, and earned the school's outstanding senior athlete award. He graduated with a degree in education and currently is working on a master's in the field of special education.

PERSONAL: Larry has two children, son Chavous (4/4/78) and daughter Amaris Esteola (11/28/80). Chavous is named for Denver defensive end Barney Chavous. In high school at Biloxi, Evans earned four football letters as a defensive end and one in basketball as a forward.

Professional Record

		INTERCEPTIONS					
Year	Club	Games	Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1976	—Denver	14	0	0	0	0	0
1977	—Denver	14	0	1	0	0	0
1978	—Denver	16	0	0	0	0	0
1979	—Denver	16	4	0	0	0	0
1980	—Denver	16	12	1	13	13.0	0
1981	—Denver	16	16	1	1	1.0	0
TOTALS		92	32	3	14	4.7	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1976; blocked one kick, 1979; recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 43 STEPHEN JAMES (Steve) FOLEY

Safety



Birthdate—Nov. 11, 1953
Birthplace—New Orleans, La.
Residence—New Orleans, La.
How Acquired—Draft #8, 1975
College—Tulane
High School—Jesuit HS, New Orleans, La.
Height—6-2
Weight—190
Pro Year—7th
Year with Broncos—7th

Steve Foley was the Broncos' interception leader for the fourth straight year in 1981, picking off five passes in his first full season as the team's starting free safety. In addition, he was in on 87 tackles and played in every game, although he missed three starts due to injury. Foley returned his five interceptions for 81 yards. He now has a career total of 28 interceptions, third in team history behind Goose Gosoulin and Bill Thompson. Steve was shifted to free safety from cornerback for the eighth game of the 1980 season and became an immediate starter at that position. That marked the second position switch of Foley's career. He was a collegiate quarterback at Tulane. Drafted by the Broncos in 1975, he opted instead for the WFL as a quarterback, eventually was shifted to the defensive backfield at Jacksonville, and subsequently came to Denver as an experienced defender. Foley has not missed a game in four seasons and was named to UPI's All-AFC team after the 1978 campaign.

COLLEGE: Steve lettered three times as a quarterback at Tulane and led the Green Wave to the 1973 Blue Bonnet Bowl. He holds Tulane's individual career total offense record and graduated with a degree in business.

PERSONAL: Steve and his wife Cindy have a son, David (5/24/

82) and make their off-season home in his native New Orleans. He comes from a large family, with 12 brothers and sisters. At Jesuit HS in New Orleans, Foley was a two-year letterman at quarterback and earned two track letters as a long jumper, high jumper, and javelin thrower. Steve lists hunting, fishing, tennis, and "most outdoor sports" as hobbies.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS					PUNT RETURNS				
		Games	Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1976	— Denver	14	6	4	95	23.8	0	5	42	8.4	0
1977	— Denver	13	13	3	22	7.3	0		None		
1978	— Denver	16	16	6	84	14.0	0		None		
1979	— Denver	16	15	6	14	2.3	0		None		
1980	— Denver	16	16	4	115	28.8	0		None		
1981	— Denver	16	13	5	81	16.2	0		None		
TOTALS		91	79	28	411	14.7	0	5	42	8.4	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once, 1976; rushed once for 14 yards, 1978; fumbled once, 1979; recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 62 THOMAS JOSEPH (Tom) GLASSIC

Guard



Birthdate—April 17, 1954
Birthplace—Elizabeth, N.J.
Residence—Littleton, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #1, 1976
College—Virginia
High School—Watchung Hills Regional HS, Warren, N.J.
Height—6-3
Weight—260
Pro Year—7th
Year with Broncos—7th

Tom Glassic this year enters his seventh season with the unusual distinction of having started every game in which he has played over six years with the Denver Broncos. He started all 16 contests last year to bring his career total to 84 in six regular season campaigns. Only the second offensive lineman ever drafted and signed in the first round by the Broncos, (Marv Montgomery was the first in 1971), Glassic played much of the 1980 season with a broken hand, missing three games that year due to the injury. He also missed three games due to injury in 1978.

COLLEGE: Tom was an All-Conference selection while lettering four times at left guard for the University of Virginia. He played in both the College All-Star game and the Senior Bowl. Glassic was a Dean's list student and graduated with a degree in English.

PERSONAL: An avid student of military history, especially the Napoleonic Wars, Glassic possesses a valuable collection of miniature soldiers and has done special television appearances and programs about his avocation. Tom's personal collection numbers more than 10,000 miniature soldiers, and he spends much of his free time visiting with other hobbyists. Single, he lists "general housekeeping" as his off-season occupation.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (11), 1979 (16), 1980 (13), 1981 (16).
GAMES STARTED: 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (11), 1979 (16), 1980 (13), 1981 (16).
ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980 and 1981.

No. 53 RANDY CHARLES GRADISHAR

Linebacker



Birthdate—March 3, 1952
Birthplace—Warren, Ohio
Residence—Littleton, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #1, 1974
College—Ohio State
High School—Champion HS, Champion, Ohio
Height—6-3
Weight—230
Pro Year—9th
Year with Broncos—9th

Randy Gradishar once again led all Bronco defenders in tackles in 1981, marking the seventh consecutive year in which he has accomplished that feat. Last year's total was 258, his personal single-season high and a new Denver record, earning Gradishar his fifth Pro Bowl appearance. His career tackle total now is up to 1,674. Last year he started all 16 games and now has played in 120 consecutive games, never having missed a game in his eight pro campaigns. Gradishar also intercepted four passes last year, giving him 19 in his Denver career, and he holds the club record for the longest interception return in Bronco annals. In 1980 against Cleveland, Gradishar batted a Brian Sipe pass which bounced off Bronco linebacker Tom Jackson back into Gradishar's hands, and he took off on a 93-yard touchdown jaunt, one of the most bizarre plays in team history. His five Pro Bowl appearances are the most by any single player in club history. Following the 1978 season Gradishar was named All-NFL in virtually every poll taken and was named Defensive Player of the Year by AP, UPI, Pro Football Weekly, and NEA (George Halas Award). His teammates voted him Denver's defensive MVP in 1978 and 1980. He was named on UPI's All-AFC team in 1981, and was named All-NFL by Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News, AP (second team), and NEA (second team).

COLLEGE: Randy was described by former Ohio State coach Woody Hayes as "the best linebacker I ever coached at Ohio State." He started for three years for the Buckeyes and was named to every All-America team following his senior season, concluding his career with appearances in the Hula Bowl, the Coaches' All-America game and the College All-Star game. Gradishar was a member of three Rose Bowl teams at Ohio State, was an Academic All-America selection, and graduated with a degree in distributive education.

PERSONAL: Randy and his wife Janet are the parents of two daughters, Paige (11/15/77) and Meredith (11/12/81). He is a leader in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and has also worked with the Chuck Colson Prison Ministry. Randy attended the Conservative Baptist Theological Seminary in the winter and spring quarters, and also worked for Westec Security Alarm Systems in the off-season.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS					TD
		Games	Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	
1974	— Denver	14	4	0	0	0	0
1975	— Denver	14	14	3	77	25.7	1
1976	— Denver	14	14	3	44	14.7	1
1977	— Denver	14	14	3	56	18.7	0
1978	— Denver	16	16	4	19	4.8	0
1979	— Denver	16	15	0	0	0	0
1980	— Denver	16	16	2	96	38.0	1
1981	— Denver	16	16	4	38	9.5	0
TOTALS		120	109	19	330	17.4	3

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1975 and 1976; recovered four fumbles for 33 yards and fumbled once, 1977; recovered two fumbles for 30 yards and one touchdown and fumbled once, 1978; recovered one fumble for 8 yards, 1979.

No. 31 MICHAEL (Mike) HARDEN

Safety



Birthdate — Feb. 16, 1958
Birthplace — Memphis, Tenn.
Residence — Detroit, Mich.
How Acquired — Draft #5a, 1980
College — Michigan
High School — Central HS, Detroit, Mich.
Height — 6-1
Weight — 192
Pro Year — 3rd
Year with Broncos — 3rd

Mike Harden played in every game and started three times at free safety last year, getting in on 37 tackles, intercepting two passes, and returning them 34 yards at Tampa Bay. He started against the Buccaneers and also in the season's final two games, against the Seahawks and the Bears. Harden also served as a valuable special teams performer for the second straight year and was second on the club in kickoff returns with 11. He also had a key fumble recovery to set up a touchdown in the Broncos' 42-24 victory over San Diego.

COLLEGE: Mike led Michigan defensive backs in total tackles as a senior with 50, and he had seven career interceptions in a four-letter career with the Wolverines. He also returned punts in college, handling 24 for 177 yards (a 7.4 average). He graduated from Michigan with a degree in social studies.

PERSONAL: Mike is single and makes his off-season home in Detroit, where he is very active in various community youth programs. He took law courses at the University of Michigan during the off-season, and spent the previous off-season working in the sports department of Detroit television station WXYZ-TV. Mike's hobbies include travel, sports cars, and horticulture.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS					PUNT RETURNS				
		Games	Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1980	Denver	16	0	0	0	0	0	2	36	18.0	0
1981	Denver	16	3	2	34	17.0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		32	3	2	34	17.0	0	2	36	18.0	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

Year	Club	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1980	Denver	12	214	17.8	0
1981	Denver	11	178	16.2	0
TOTALS		23	392	17.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once, 1980; recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 10 MARK DONALD HERRMANN

Quarterback



Birthdate — Jan. 8, 1959
Birthplace — Cincinnati, Ohio
Residence — Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired — Draft #4, 1981
College — Purdue
High School — Carmel HS, Carmel, Ind.
Height — 6-4
Weight — 195
Pro Year — 2nd
Year with Broncos — 2nd

Mark Herrmann spent his entire rookie season in a backup role for the Broncos. Although he did not get into a single regular season game Herrmann was very impressive during the 1981 preseason, completing 13 of 19 passes (68.4 per cent) for 213 yards and three touchdowns. Two of those touchdowns came in the final two minutes of the final preseason game at Cincinnati, in which Herrmann rallied Denver to a 24-20 victory. He was on the active roster for the entire 1981 season.

COLLEGE: Mark ended his career at Purdue as college football's all-time passing king. He set 23 Purdue records over a four-year career during which he started 42 games for the Boilermakers, connecting for an average of 210 yards per game over that span. He passed for 9,946 career yards, becoming the first quarterback to pass the 9,000-yard mark, and finished fourth in the Heisman Trophy voting as a senior. Herrmann earned numerous All-America honors during his junior and senior seasons. He was the offensive MVP in the 1978 Peach Bowl, the 1979 Bluebonnet Bowl, and the 1980 Liberty Bowl, closing out his college career with appearances in the Hula Bowl and Japan Bowl. He completed 717 of 1,218 passing attempts and threw 67 for touchdowns. Herrmann graduated from Purdue with a business management degree.

PERSONAL: Mark and his wife Susie make their home in Englewood, Colorado. He earned eight prep letters, three each in football and basketball and two in baseball, at Carmel HS in Carmel, Indiana. His hobbies include golf and basketball.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1981 (0).
GAMES STARTED: None.

No. 60 PAUL EUGENE HOWARD

Guard



Birthdate — Sept. 12, 1950
Birthplace — San Jose, Calif.
Residence — Redding, Calif.
How Acquired — Draft #3a, 1973
College — Brigham Young
High School — Central Valley HS, Central Valley, Calif.
Height — 6-3
Weight — 260
Pro Year — 9th
Year with Broncos — 9th

Paul Howard played in every game and started 15 last year, his ninth in the Denver organization. He now has played 115 games for the Broncos at guard since joining the club as a third round draft choice in 1973. Paul became a starter halfway through the

1974 season and has held the job, when healthy, ever since. He missed the 1976 campaign with a back injury.

COLLEGE: Paul earned three varsity letters during an outstanding career at BYU. He was first team All-WAC, played in the Senior Bowl and the East-West Shrine Game, and was selected for the Coaches' All-America and College All-Star games after his senior season. Howard played defensive end for two years in college before switching to the offensive line. A dedicated weight lifter, he set Utah State records for the bench press, squat, and dead lift.

PERSONAL: Paul and his wife Kathy have two daughters, Nicole and Melissa. At Central Valley HS in northern California he earned varsity letters in football as a guard, in basketball as a forward, and in track and field as a weight man.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1973 (14), 1974 (14), 1975 (14), 1976 (Injured reserve), 1977 (14), 1978 (13), 1979 (16), 1980 (14), 1981 (16).

GAMES STARTED: 1973 (0), 1974 (5), 1975 (14), 1977 (13), 1978 (13), 1979 (16), 1980 (14), 1981 (15).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1975 and 1977.

No. 65 GLENN THATCHER HYDE

Offensive Tackle



Birthdate—March 14, 1951

Birthplace—Boston, Mass.

Residence—Denver, Colo.

How Acquired—FA, 1976

College—Pittsburgh

High School—Lexington HS, Lexington, Mass.

Height—6-3

Weight—252

Pro Year—7th

Year with Broncos—7th

Glenn Hyde once again played in every game last year and started two for the Broncos. One of the team's most versatile players, he saw action at guard, tackle, and center, played on all the special teams, and snapped for all of Denver's kicking situations in place of the injured Keith Bishop. Hyde has played in every game over the past three seasons. He joined the Broncos as a free agent in 1976, but started his career in the World Football League, where he played in 1974 and 1975.

COLLEGE: Glenn lettered at defensive tackle for three years at Pittsburgh and made All-East as a senior. He capped his college career with an appearance in the Coaches' All-America Game. Hyde also played varsity hockey for four years and graduated with a degree in physical education and health.

PERSONAL: Glenn is single and enjoys skiing and golf. He attended Berwick Academy and graduated from Lexington HS in Lexington, Mass. In high school he earned two letters in football at tackle, two in hockey as a defenseman, and two in baseball as a first baseman.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

GAMES PLAYED: 1976 (11), 1977 (14), 1978 (15), 1979 (16), 1980 (16), 1981 (16).

GAMES STARTED: 1978 (5), 1980 (5), 1981 (2).

No. 52 ROBERT LEE JACKSON

Linebacker



Birthdate—August 7, 1954

Birthplace—Houston, Texas

Residence—Houston, Texas

How Acquired—Trade with Cleveland, 1981

College—Texas A & M

High School—M. B. Smiley HS, Houston, Texas

Height—6-1

Weight—230

Pro Year—5th

Year with Broncos—1st

Robert L. Jackson came to the Broncos in exchange for a sixth round draft choice on the first day of the 1982 NFL draft, having greatly impressed Denver coaches with a 15-tackle performance in the Broncos' 23-20 overtime win over Cleveland in 1981. Jackson started 14 games for the Browns last year and was credited with 73 tackles and 37 assists, his best figures as a pro. His 110 total tackles ranked third on the team, and in addition he recovered two fumbles for the Browns. In 1980 Jackson was second on the team in total tackles with 104, along with three quarterback sacks and two interceptions. Strong and mobile, Jackson is an emotional player who played one of the inside positions in Cleveland's 3-4 defense. He was Cleveland's number one draft choice in 1977, but suffered a severe knee injury at the very outset of training camp and missed the entire season while on injured reserve. Jackson recovered to play in every game the following season, and earned a starting job in 1979.

COLLEGE: Robert first gained national renown as a two-time All-America at Henderson County JC, then transferred to Texas A & M and became an almost unanimous All-America choice both years. Rated as one of the best athletes in the nation as a senior, he was named All-America by AP, UPI, Football News, NEA, Kodak, and the Pro Football Writers. He played in the Senior Bowl in 1976.

PERSONAL: Single, he was born in Houston and continues to spend much of his off-season time there. He lists basketball as his hobby.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
		Games	Starts				
1977	Cleveland			Injured reserve			
1978	Cleveland	14	0	0	0	0	0
1979	Cleveland	16	5	0	0	0	0
1980	Cleveland	14	14	2	15	7.5	0
1981	Cleveland	14	14	0	0	0	0
Totals		58	33	2	15	7.5	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1981.

No. 57 TOM JACKSON

Linebacker



Birthdate—April 4, 1951
Birthplace—Cleveland, Ohio
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #4, 1973
College—Louisville
High School—John Adams HS, Cleveland, Ohio
Height—5-11
Weight—220
Pro Year—10th
Year with Broncos—10th

Tom Jackson started every game for the second consecutive year in 1981, finishing third on the team in total tackles with 144 and leading all Denver linebackers in quarterback sacks with four. A big play performer throughout his Bronco career, Jackson has returned three interceptions for touchdowns in the NFL, including a 73-yarder against Baltimore in 1977. His total of seven interceptions in 1976 is a Denver team record by a linebacker. Among Bronco linebackers his career total of 18 is exceeded only by Randy Gradishar's total of 19. Jackson's career interception return yardage of 332 and his return average of 18.4 are both club highs by a linebacker. Jackson has made three appearances in the Pro Bowl and has been named All-Pro twice.

COLLEGE: Tom was one of the most publicized players in the history of the University of Louisville, having made All-Missouri Valley Conference for three consecutive years, and being named to the Walter Camp All-America team. Tom was also named the Missouri Valley Conference Player of the Year twice, as a sophomore in 1970 and again as a senior in 1972. He played in the American Bowl and Blue-Gray game following his senior season. Jackson majored in business.

PERSONAL: Single, Tom lists chess, pool, and swimming as his hobbies. As a high school athlete at John Adams HS in Cleveland, Jackson earned two letters in football as a linebacker, two in baseball, and three in wrestling.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS					
		Games	Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1973	—Denver	8	4	0	0	0.0	0
1974	—Denver	13	12	1	39	39.0	0
1975	—Denver	14	14	2	0	0.0	0
1976	—Denver	14	14	7	136	19.4	1
1977	—Denver	13	13	4	95	23.8	1
1978	—Denver	16	16	3	28	9.3	1
1979	—Denver	13	13	1	34	34.0	0
1980	—Denver	16	16	0	0	0.0	0
1981	—Denver	16	16	0	0	0.0	0
TOTALS		123	118	18	332	18.4	3

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once and recovered two fumbles, 1976; fumbled once, 1977; recovered two fumbles for 70 yards, 1979; recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 75 RULON KENT JONES

Defensive End



Birthdate—March 25, 1958
Birthplace—Salt Lake City, Utah
Residence—Thornton, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #2, 1980
College—Utah State
High School—Weber HS, Ogden, Utah
Height—6-6
Weight—260
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—3rd

Rulon Jones showed great promise for the future in 1981, a season in which he started every game, recorded 71 tackles, and led the Broncos in quarterback sacks with 9½ totaling losses of 86 yards. He set the stage for his 1981 performance the previous year, when he earned All-Rookie honors (UPI, Pro Football Weekly) as he led the squad in sacks with 11½, the most by any Bronco since Richard Jackson's 1971 Pro Bowl season. He had 82 tackles as a rookie, playing in every game while starting three, recovering a fumble in his NFL debut against Philadelphia, and tackling Jim Zorn for a safety against Seattle. Jones now has 21 sacks in two years and is solidly entrenched as Denver's starting right end. His best single-game performance was in the second Oakland game of 1980, in which he had three sacks and seven tackles. He was Denver's first pick in the 1980 draft.

COLLEGE: Rulon was a four-year letterman and starter at Utah State, where he missed only one game during his collegiate career. In 1979 he was selected to second team spots on both the AP and NEA All-America squads and was named honorable mention by UPI. As a senior he was All-Pacific Coast Athletic Assn. and was named PCAA Defensive Player of the Year. Rulon's best college performance was a game against Fresno State in which he posted 15 tackles and three sacks. Jones played in the East-West Shrine Game and the Senior Bowl.

PERSONAL: Rulon and his wife Kathy have two sons, Garet (4/4/78) and Dalton (11/23/81). At Weber HS in Ogden, Utah, Jones earned two letters each in football and basketball.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980 (16), 1981 (16).

GAMES STARTED: 1980 (3), 1981 (16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, credited with one safety, 1980; recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 22 AARON DOUGLAS KYLE

Cornerback



Birthdate—April 6, 1954
Birthplace—Detroit, Mich.
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—Wyoming
High School—Technical HS, Detroit, Mich.
Height—5-11
Weight—185
Pro Year—7th
Year with Broncos—3rd

Aaron Kyle started every game for the Broncos last year, 13 at his customary right cornerback position, and the last three games

of the season for the injured Louis Wright at left corner. He had two interceptions for 40 yards, led the team with four fumble recoveries, and his 68 total tackles were tops among Bronco cornerbacks. He returned one of his interceptions 40 yards to set up a critical touchdown in Denver's Monday night victory over Minnesota. The Broncos picked Kyle up on procedural waivers in 1980 after Dallas had attempted to waive him through to their active roster in the seventh week of the season. Kyle opted for free agency and signed with Denver, stepping in as a starting cornerback after just one week with the team. He played in 10 games and started nine in 1980, getting in on 72 tackles. Kyle was the number one draft choice of the Cowboys in 1976 and became the starting right cornerback for Dallas in his second season. Ironically, Kyle was a key man in stopping Denver in Super Bowl XII, as he had three tackles, an interception, and a fumble recovery that set up the game-clinching TD.

COLLEGE: Aaron was All-Western Athletic Conference in 1975 and played in the East-West Shrine Game. At Wyoming he played safety until his senior year, when he was shifted to cornerback and played both.

PERSONAL: Aaron and his wife Judy have two daughters, Ashley Dyanne (9/3/79) and Brandi Leigh (8/3/81). He is the president of Quality Investors in Denver, and serves as vice-president of Imperial Investors in Dallas, the latter being a group made up of present and former Cowboys. A journalism major at Wyoming, Kyle has worked as a news and sports writer and as an advertising copy writer in past off-seasons. Prior to Super Bowl XII, he wrote his own "interview" for a Denver newspaper.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
		Games	Starts				
1976	Dallas	14	1		None		
1977	Dallas	14	10	1	9	9.0	0
1978	Dallas	16	16	3	20	6.7	0
1979	Dallas	16	16	2	0	0.0	0
1980	Denver	10	9	0	0	0.0	0
1981	Denver	16	16	2	40	20.0	0
TOTALS		86	68	8	69	8.6	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1978; recovered one fumble for 15 yards, 1980; recovered four fumbles for one yard, returned one punt for no yards, 1981.

No. 76 KENNETH WAYNE (Ken) LANIER

Tackle



Birthdate—July 8, 1959
Birthplace—Columbus, Ohio
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #5, 1981
College—Florida State
High School—Marion Franklin HS, Columbus, Ohio
Height—6-3
Weight—269
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—2nd

Ken Lanier had limited playing time during his rookie year, seeing action in eight games and starting one. His start was against the Cleveland Browns in place of the injured Claudie Minor, and he was named the offensive player of the game by the Denver coaching staff. Bronco coaches feel that Lanier has a bright future in the Denver offensive line.

COLLEGE: Ken was known as the "Ironman" of Florida State's

team because of his string of 46 consecutive games started during his four-year Seminole career. He was named to several All-America teams during his junior and senior seasons. In addition to his football career at FSU, Lanier performed weight duty for the Seminole track team and holds the school record in the shot put with a heave of 60'2". He was the Metro Conference champion in that event in his junior and senior years. Ken closed out his college football career with an appearance in the Senior Bowl, and graduated from Florida State with an industrial arts degree.

PERSONAL: Ken is single and resides in Denver. A Columbus, Ohio native, he earned All-Ohio honors and three letters each in football and track at Marion Franklin HS in his hometown.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1981 (8).

GAMES STARTED: 1981 (1).

No. 72 DON BERTSTROM LATIMER

Nose Tackle



Birthdate—March 1, 1955
Birthplace—Fort Pierce, Fla.
Residence—Aurora, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #1, 1978
College—Miami (Fla.)
High School—Fort Pierce Central HS, Fort Pierce, Fla.
Height—6-2
Weight—265
Pro Year—5th
Year with Broncos—5th

Don Latimer had his best pro season in 1981, getting in on 71 tackles and posting 2½ quarterback sacks as the nose tackle in Denver's alternate three-man line, which played every third series. He also recovered a fumble last year and shared the defensive line's Gold Star award for the 1981 season, awarded by the Bronco defensive coaching staff. Latimer played in every game for the first time in his pro career, which began as a number one draft choice in 1978. He also recorded 71 tackles in 1980, despite missing two games with an injury. Latimer scored a touchdown in 1981, intercepting a Jim Zorn pass and returning it 15 yards for a score against Seattle. Like Denver's other nose tackle, Rubin Carter, Latimer played college football at Miami of Florida.

COLLEGE: Don lettered twice at Miami (Florida), where he played for former Bronco coach Lou Saban. He played in the Blue-Gray Game to cap his college career, graduating with a degree in physical education.

PERSONAL: Don and his wife Cynthia have a daughter, Siobhan (4/7/81), and a son, Don, Jr. (7/4/82). At Central HS in Fort Pierce, Florida he earned three letters each in football, basketball, and track. Latimer was a prep All-America in basketball and a sprinter in track, with a 22.2 time in the 220-yard dash.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1978 (14), 1979 (15), 1980 (14), 1981 (16).

GAMES STARTED: 1979 (1).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble for four yards, 1979; intercepted a pass and returned it 15 yards for a TD, 1980; recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 41 ROB WILLIAM LYTLE

Running Back



Birthdate—Nov. 12, 1954
Birthplace—Fremont, Ohio
Residence—Fremont, Ohio
How Acquired—Draft #2, 1977
College—Michigan
High School—Fremont-Ross HS, Fremont, Ohio
Height—5-11
Weight—195
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—6th

Rob Lytle played in every game last year and was one of the team's most effective short yardage producers, scoring four touchdowns rushing and another on a pass reception. Only Pro Bowler Steve Watson scored more touchdowns than Lytle. He is also a very valuable special teams performer, despite a season-long shoulder problem that required off-season surgery. Lytle underwent surgery to repair a tear in the rotator cuff of his left shoulder, and he is expected to be completely rehabilitated by the opening of training camp. Despite numerous injuries as a professional, Lytle has missed only five games in five years, and none since 1979. Lytle's career rushing yardage of 1,449 is fifth in Denver history. The best game of his career was against Green Bay in 1978, when he ran for 110 yards and one TD in 16 carries against the Packers.

COLLEGE: Rob was a unanimous All-America selection during his great career at Michigan. He won the Big 10 rushing title as well as the league's all-purpose running championship (including kick returns), and was described by Michigan coach Bo Schembechler as "the greatest back I've ever coached or been around." He was third in 1977 Heisman Trophy voting, and as a senior ran 203 times for 1,402 yards, a 6.9 average, and scored 13 TDs, capping his career with a Hula Bowl appearance.

PERSONAL: Rob and his wife Tracy are the parents of a daughter, Erin (4/12/80). The family makes its off-season home in Lytle's hometown of Fremont, Ohio, where he is involved in the family clothing business.

Professional Record

		RUSHING						RECEIVING			
Year	Club	Games	Starts	Att.	Yds.	Avg	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg	TD
1977	Denver	14	4	104	408	3.9	1	17	198	11.6	1
1978	Denver	13	7	81	341	4.2	2	6	37	6.2	0
1979	Denver	15	12	102	371	3.6	4	13	93	7.1	0
1980	Denver	16	0	57	223	3.9	1	18	177	9.8	0
1981	Denver	16	0	30	106	3.5	4	6	47	7.8	1
TOTALS		74	23	374	1,449	3.9	12	60	552	9.2	2

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once, returned one kickoff for 14 yards, 1977; recovered one fumble for -3 yards, 1978; fumbled once, recovered three fumbles, 1979; fumbled once, returned one kickoff for 19 yards, 1980; fumbled once, returned five kickoffs for 80 yards, 1981.

No. 83 WADE RONALD ARTHUR MANNING

Wide Receiver



Birthdate—July 25, 1955
Birthplace—Meadville, Pa.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—Trade with Buffalo, 1981
College—Ohio State
High School—Shaker Heights HS, Shaker Heights, Ohio
Height—5-11
Weight—190
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—2nd

Wade Manning was acquired from Buffalo in exchange for an eighth round draft choice just prior to the 1981 regular season, and the former Ohio State centerfielder not only made the conversion from cornerback to wide receiver, but also led the club in punt returns with 378 yards and a 9.2 average, sixth best figure in the AFC. He also returned kickoffs for 514 yards and a 19.8 average to pace the Broncos in that department. Manning also saw some duty as a wide receiver for the Broncos last year, catching three passes for 49 yards in a reserve role. Manning did not play college football, but earned a spot on the Dallas roster as a free agent cornerback and return specialist in 1979, playing nine games for the Cowboys. He was on injured reserve in 1980, after having had cartilage surgery on his right knee. During the off-season Bronco physicians removed a lubricating sac from his right knee, and he is fully rehabilitated.

COLLEGE: Wade was a three-year centerfielder for Ohio State, batting .325 with a team-leading six home runs and a school record 23 stolen bases to earn All-Big 10 honors as a senior. He stole 44 bases in his career.

PERSONAL: Wade and his wife Emma Jean reside in Denver. He has a son, Jason Wade (10/27/78). An outstanding baseball player at Shaker Heights (Ohio) HS, Manning was drafted by the Cleveland Indians out of high school and by the Pittsburgh Pirates in 1976. Prior to his pro career, the last time he played football was as a 5-1, 135-pound high school safety. Wade is active in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and spoke to many Christian and youth groups in the off-season.

Professional Record

		PUNT RETURNS						KICKOFF RETURNS			
Year	Club	Games	Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1979	Dallas	9	0	10	55	5.5	0	7	145	20.7	0
1980	Dallas			Injured Reserve							
1981	Denver	16	0	41	378	9.2	0	26	514	19.8	0
TOTALS		25	0	51	433	8.5	0	33	659	20.0	0

		RECEIVING			
Year	Club	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1981	Denver	3	49	16.3	0
TOTALS		3	49	16.3	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once, 1979; fumbled three times, 1981.

No. 66 BRISON MANOR, JR.

Defensive End



Birthdate—Aug. 10, 1952
Birthplace—Bridgeton, N.J.
Residence—North Little Rock, Ark.
How Acquired—FA, 1976
College—Arkansas
High School—Bridgeton HS, Bridgeton, N.J.
Height—6-4
Weight—248
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—6th

Brison Manor played in all 16 games last year as a member of the alternate defensive line, recording 39 tackles and four sacks, the latter figure a team high among non-starters. His best day of 1981 was at Seattle, where he sacked quarterback Jim Zorn twice and intercepted a pass, returning it 16 yards. That was the first interception of Manor's pro career. Originally drafted in the 15th round of the 1975 draft by the New York Jets, he was waived by the Jets and signed with the Broncos in 1976, but sat out that season on injured reserve.

COLLEGE: Brison started at defensive tackle for two seasons at the University of Arkansas after transferring from Pratt (Kansas) Community JC, where he had been selected as a JC All-America at defensive end. He majored in physical education.

PERSONAL: Brison and his wife DeLois make their home in North Little Rock, Arkansas. His hobbies include hunting, fishing, and playing basketball. At Bridgeton HS in Bridgeton, New Jersey, Manor earned three letters as a defensive tackle in football and three more in wrestling.

Professional Record

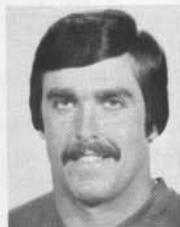
GAMES PLAYED: 1977 (13), 1978 (14), 1979 (16), 1980 (16), 1981 (16).

GAMES STARTED: 1977 (1), 1979 (16), 1980 (13).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1979; recovered one fumble for 5 yards, 1980; intercepted one pass for 16 yards, 1981.

No. 55 MARK CHRISTOPHER MERRILL

Linebacker



Birthdate—May 5, 1955
Birthplace—St. Paul, Minn.
Residence—New Brighton, Minn.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—Minnesota
High School—Kellogg HS, St. Paul, Minn.
Height—6-4
Weight—240
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—2nd

Mark Merrill was a reserve inside linebacker for the Broncos in 1981, with most of his playing time coming as a member of Denver's special teams. He was signed by the Broncos as a free agent prior to the 1981 campaign and played in 15 games. Originally a second round selection by the New York Jets in the 1978 draft, Merrill played in every game in 1978, starting the last four, and started four of five Jet games in 1979 before being waived and picked up by the Chicago Bears. He played in nine

games for Chicago to finish out the 1979 season.

COLLEGE: Mark was a three-year starter at defensive end for Minnesota, earning honorable mention All-America by The Sporting News and second team AP All-Big 10 as a senior. Originally a tight end, Merrill dropped out of school after his freshman year but returned a year later and switched to defensive end. Mark concluded his college career with appearances in the East-West Shrine Game, Hall of Fame Classic, and the Challenge Bowl (Big 10 vs. Pac 10), earning a degree in business.

PERSONAL: Mark is single and lists Judo, in which he has a Black Belt, as his major hobby. A three-time Minnesota state Judo champion, Merrill lettered in football, basketball, and baseball at Kellogg HS in St. Paul.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1978 (16), 1979 (15).

GAMES STARTED: 1978 (4), 1979 (4).

No. 71 CLAUDIE DEE MINOR, JR.

Tackle



Birthdate—April 21, 1951
Birthplace—Pomona, Calif.
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #3, 1974
College—San Diego State
High School—Garey HS, Pomona, Calif.
Height—6-4
Weight—278
Pro Year—9th
Year with Broncos—9th

Claudie Minor enters his ninth professional season with the distinction of having started every game in which he has appeared as a Bronco, a total of 116 through the 1981 campaign. Minor has missed just four games in eight years, three last year and one in 1980. Along with guard Paul Howard, Claudie is the senior member of Denver's offensive line. Until he was forced to miss a start against the New York Jets in 1980 due to a hip injury, Minor had started 98 consecutive games. He has played both left and right tackle for the Broncos.

COLLEGE: Claudie started every game at San Diego State for two seasons after transferring from Mt. San Antonio JC. He was selected as the most valuable defensive lineman at Mt. San Antonio and was recruited to San Diego State by current Denver offensive coordinator Rod Dowhower. Minor was tabbed the most valuable offensive lineman for the Aztecs and was selected to play in the Coaches' All-America Game. He graduated with a degree in recreation administration.

PERSONAL: Claudie and his wife Vicki have three daughters, Maisha (8/19/76), Keesha (8/31/78), and Sharinn (4/21/80). In the off-season he is in the construction business, and is a member of the Quality Investor Company. Claudie is very active in Fellowship of Christian Athletes activities, and lists racquetball, fishing, pool, and "relaxing" as hobbies. At Garey HS in Pomona, Calif., Minor played both offense and defense in earning three football letters, also lettering twice in track and field as a weightman.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1974 (14), 1975 (14), 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (16), 1979 (16), 1980 (15), 1981 (13).

GAMES STARTED: 1974 (14), 1975 (14), 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (16), 1979 (16), 1980 (15), 1981 (13).

No. 70 MACK HENRY MITCHELL

Defensive End



Birthdate—Aug. 16, 1952
Birthplace—Diboll, Texas
Residence—Houston, Texas
How Acquired—FA, 1982
College—Houston
High School—Diboll HS, Diboll, Texas
Height—6-8
Weight—260
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—1st

Mack Mitchell was signed as a free agent in the off-season, after previous pro stops in Cleveland, Cincinnati, and Houston. Cleveland's first round draft choice in 1975, he led the Browns in quarterback sacks in 1977 and 1978, posting 30 during his four years in Cleveland. He did not miss a game in his first three seasons in the NFL. Mitchell was released by Cleveland and claimed by Cincinnati in 1979, playing 13 games for the Bengals that season. He was out of football in 1980 and signed with the Houston Oilers in 1981. Mitchell was on Houston's injured reserve list with a broken finger for part of the season, but did not play in any regular season games and was released by the Oilers in midseason.

COLLEGE: Mack went to Houston on a combination football-basketball scholarship, but concentrated on football after his sophomore year. He was the team captain as a senior and had 33 quarterback sacks that year, earning unanimous All-America acclaim.

PERSONAL: Single, Mack resides in Houston. He has completed all the requirements necessary to acquire his teaching certificate.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1975 (14), 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (14), 1979 (13).

GAMES STARTED: 1975 (14), 1976 (10), 1977 (5), 1978 (14), 1979 (1).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1975; credited with one safety, 1976; recovered two fumbles, 1977; recovered two fumbles, 1978.

No. 7 LARRY CRAIG (Craig) MORTON

Quarterback



Birthdate—Feb. 5, 1943
Birthplace—Flint, Mich.
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—Trade with N.Y. Giants, 1977
College—California
High School—Campbell HS, Campbell, Calif.
Height—6-4
Weight—210
Pro Year—18th
Year with Broncos—6th

Craig Morton had his finest professional season in 1981 and set several records in the process, finishing as the NFL's second-ranked passer with a rating of 90.5, tied with San Diego's Dan Fouts and trailing only Cincinnati's Ken Anderson. As the starting

quarterback from the beginning of the season, Morton set new personal highs in attempts (376), completions (225), yardage (3,195, his first 3,000 yard season and a new Denver record), and touchdowns (21, matching his 1969 total at Dallas). He completed 59.8 percent of his attempts, a figure surpassed only by his 60.8 mark of the previous year. Among his many 1981 highlights were back-to-back four-touchdown performances against Baltimore and San Diego, and his passing statistics in the first San Diego game were the NFL's single-game best of the season: 17 completions in 18 attempts for 308 yards and four touchdowns. The oldest player in pro football and the only 18-year man in the NFL, Morton comes into the 1982 campaign ranked among the game's legends. He is 12th all-time in career attempts (3,760) and completions (2,035), 16th in touchdowns (183), and 11th in passing yardage (27,715). Jim Hart of the St. Louis Cardinals is the only active quarterback ranked ahead of Morton in all of those categories. Even though he has been a Bronco for just five seasons, Morton is the Broncos' career passing leader in virtually all departments. Interception avoidance has been one of his strong points. Craig's percentage of .039 is the lowest in Denver history, and in 1978 he had a streak of 144 consecutive passes without an interception. Morton was voted the AFC Player of the Year after the 1977 season, in which he led the Broncos to the Super Bowl. A number one draft choice of the Dallas Cowboys in 1965, Morton spent nine full seasons in Dallas before being traded to the New York Giants six games into the 1974 campaign. He played eight games with New York in 1974 and was the Giants' quarterback in 1975 and 1976, before joining the Broncos prior to Denver's AFC championship season in 1977. Last year he was reunited with Dan Reeves who was a teammate of Morton's for eight seasons in Dallas.

COLLEGE: Craig was a consensus All-America at the University of California at Berkeley, where he played for current Kansas City coach Marv Levy. He earned three football letters and two more in baseball. Morton was a good enough baseball player to get a bonus offer to sign, but turned it down in favor of football. He graduated from Cal with a degree in speech.

PERSONAL: Craig and his wife Susan have two children, son Michael (10/4/79) and daughter Mary McKenna (5/5/82). He has many interests, including the oil business, which occupy his off-season time. At Campbell (Calif.) HS, Morton was a 12-letter man, earning four each in football (quarterback), baseball (outfielder), and basketball (guard).

Professional Record

PASSING

Year	Club	Games	Starts	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Int.
1965	Dallas	4	1	34	17	50.0	173	2	4
1966	Dallas	6	0	27	13	48.1	225	3	1
1967	Dallas	10	3	137	69	50.4	978	10	10
1968	Dallas	13	1	85	44	51.8	752	4	6
1969	Dallas	13	13	302	162	53.6	2619	21	15
1970	Dallas	12	11	207	102	49.3	1819	15	7
1971	Dallas	10	4	143	78	54.5	1131	7	8
1972	Dallas	14	14	339	185	54.6	2396	15	21
1973	Dallas	14	0	32	13	40.6	174	3	1
1974	Dallas (6)								
	Giants (8)	14	7	239	124	51.9	1522	9	13
1975	Giants	14	14	363	186	52.3	2359	11	16
1976	Giants	12	12	284	153	53.9	1865	9	20
1977	Denver	14	14	254	131	51.6	1929	14	8
1978	Denver	14	13	267	146	54.7	1802	11	8
1979	Denver	14	10	370	204	55.1	2626	16	19
1980	Denver	12	9	301	183	60.8	2150	12	13
1981	Denver	15	15	376	225	59.6	3195	21	14
TOTALS		205	141	3,760	2,035	54.1	27,715	183	180

RUSHING

Year	Club	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1965	Dallas	3	-8	-2.7	0
1966	Dallas	7	50	7.1	0
1967	Dallas	15	42	2.8	0
1968	Dallas	4	28	7.0	2
1969	Dallas	16	62	3.9	1
1970	Dallas	16	37	2.3	0
1971	Dallas	4	9	2.3	1
1972	Dallas	8	26	3.3	2
1973	Dallas	1	0	0.0	0
1974	Dallas (6)				
	Giants (8)	4	5	1.3	0
1975	Giants	22	72	3.3	0
1976	Giants	13	35	2.7	0
1977	Denver	31	125	4.0	4
1978	Denver	17	71	4.2	0
1979	Denver	22	17	0.8	1
1980	Denver	21	29	1.4	1
1981	Denver	8	18	2.3	0
TOTALS		212	618	2.9	12

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1971 and 1972; recovered one fumble for minus 12 yards, 1973; recovered two fumbles for minus 14 yards, 1974; recovered three fumbles for minus 15 yards, 1975; recovered three fumbles, 1976; recovered three fumbles for minus 18 yards, 1977; recovered one fumble, 1978; recovered two fumbles for minus 11 yards, 1979; recovered three fumbles for minus seven yards, 1980. Fumbles: 1965 (2), 1967 (5), 1968 (1), 1969 (4), 1970 (1), 1971 (1), 1972 (4), 1973 (1), 1974 (4), 1975 (9), 1976 (7), 1977 (1), 1978 (6), 1979 (9), 1980 (4), 1981 (2).

No. 88 RILEY ODOMS

Tight End



Birthdate—March 1, 1950
Birthplace—Luling, Tex.
Residence—Houston, Tex.
How Acquired—Draft #1, 1972
College—Houston
High School—West Oso HS, Corpus Christi, Texas
Height—6-4
Weight—235
Pro Year—11th
Year with Broncos—11th

Riley Odoms had another productive season in 1981, catching 38 passes for 516 yards and five touchdowns, averaging 13.6 yards per reception. He missed one game (Kansas City) due to injury. His best single-game performance last year was at Kansas City, when he caught seven passes for 74 yards. The only Denver offensive player to participate in four NFL Pro Bowl games, Odoms has been a model of consistency in his decade with the Broncos, having caught 30 or more passes for nine consecutive years. Riley's career totals now show 384 receptions (second in Denver history behind Lionel Taylor's 543) for 5,611 yards (second to Taylor's 6,872) and 41 touchdowns (trailing only Taylor and Haven Moses, both of whom scored 44). His single game reception high as a professional is eight catches (for 128 yards) against Oakland in 1980. Odoms did not miss a game in his first seven seasons in the NFL and has missed only five overall, playing part of the 1979 season with a broken arm and part of the 1980 campaign with a fractured bone in his left shoulder.

COLLEGE: Riley was an All-America tight end at the University of Houston in 1971, and played in both the Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl and the Senior Bowl. He was the fifth player taken in the 1972 NFL draft.

PERSONAL: Riley and his wife Alnetia are the parents of a daughter, Veronica (9/7/71), and the family makes its home in Houston. He went to West Oso HS in Corpus Christi, Texas, where he was a star athlete in both football and track.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING						RECEIVING			
		Games	Starts	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1972	Denver	14	0	5	72	14.4	0	21	320	15.2	1
1973	Denver	14	14	5	53	10.6	0	43	629	14.6	7
1974	Denver	14	14	4	25	6.3	0	42	639	15.2	6
1975	Denver	14	14	5	27	5.4	0	40	544	13.6	3
1976	Denver	14	14	3	36	12.0	2	30	477	15.9	3
1977	Denver	14	14		None			37	429	11.6	3
1978	Denver	16	16	2	5	2.5	0	54	829	15.4	6
1979	Denver	13	12	1	-7	-7.0	0	40	638	15.9	1
1980	Denver	15	15		None			39	590	15.1	6
1981	Denver	15	15		None			38	516	13.6	5
TOTALS		143	128	25	211	8.4	2	384	5,611	14.6	41

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1972; recovered one fumble for a touchdown, 1975; fumbled twice and recovered one fumble, 1978; recovered one fumble, 1980; fumbled once, 1981.

No. 24 RICK PARROS

Running Back



Birthdate—June 14, 1958
Birthplace—Brooklyn, N.Y.
Residence—Aurora, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #4, 1980
College—Utah State
High School—Granite HS, Salt Lake City, Utah
Height—5-11
Weight—200
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—2nd

Rick Parros missed the entire 1980 season due to a training camp knee injury, but rebounded last year to win a starting berth at a new position and lead the team in rushing with 749 yards and a 4.3 average. Converted from halfback to fullback by coach Dan Reeves, Parros started every game and added 216 yards on 25 receptions to his club-high rushing total. Rick ran for two touchdowns and caught a pass for one more, totaling 965 yards for the 1981 Broncos. In the second Seattle game he established his personal high and the best Denver mark of the season with 82 yards on 16 carries, scoring once.

COLLEGE: Rick rushed for 3,621 yards and caught 70 passes in four years at Utah State, once gaining 252 yards on the ground against Fresno State. The all-time Utah State rushing leader, he scored 27 touchdowns and twice had 1,000-yard campaigns, and in 1979 led the Pacific Coast Athletic Conference in rushing and scoring. Parros made AP honorable mention All-America and first team All-PCAA in both 1978 and 1979, ending his college career as the leading rusher in both the Senior Bowl and Blue-Gray Game.

PERSONAL: Rick is single and resides in the Denver suburb of Aurora. His hobbies include dogs, especially Afghans, and water skiing. He won six letters, three each in football and track, at Granite HS in Salt Lake City.

Professional Record

Year	Club	Games	RUSHING				No.	RECEIVING		
			Starts	Att.	Yds.	Avg.		Yds.	Avg.	TD
1980	Denver	16	176	749	4.3	2	25	216	8.6	1
1981	Denver	16	176	749	4.3	2	25	216	8.6	1
TOTALS		16	176	749	4.3	2	25	216	8.6	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled six times, recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 33 NATHAN POOLE *Running Back*



Birthdate—December 17, 1956
Birthplace—Alexander City, Ala.
Residence—Cincinnati, Ohio
How Acquired—FA, 1982
College—Louisville
High School—Benjamin Russell HS, Alexander City, Ala.
Height—5-9
Weight—212
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—1st

Nathan Poole was signed as a free agent by the Broncos during the off-season. A tenth round draft choice of the Cincinnati Bengals in 1979, he was used primarily on special teams for the Bengals in 1979 and 1980. Waived during training camp last year, Poole spent 1981 with the Toronto Argonauts of the Canadian Football League. He is known as a strong, hard runner, and can bench press more than 400 pounds.

COLLEGE: Nathan was one of the top runners ever to come out of the University of Louisville, where he averaged five yards per carry over his college career.

PERSONAL: Nathan and his wife Alice have a daughter, Alicia, age three. He was recruited to Louisville from Benjamin Russell HS in his hometown of Alexander City, Alabama.

Professional Record

Year	Club	Games	RUSHING					No.	RECEIVING		
			Starts	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD		Yds.	Avg.	TD
1979	Cincinnati ...	16	0	1	-3	-3.0	0	1	-10	-10.0	0
1980	Cincinnati ...	16	0	5	6	1.2	0	2	-4	-2.0	0
TOTALS		32	0	6	3	0.5	0	3	-14	-4.7	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

Year	Club	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1979	Cincinnati	7	128	18.3	0
1980	Cincinnati	1	8	8.0	0
TOTALS		8	136	17.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled twice and recovered two fumbles, 1979; fumbled once and recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 46 RICHARD DAVID (Dave) PRESTON *Running Back*



Birthdate—May 29, 1955
Birthplace—Dayton, Ohio
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1978
College—Bowling Green
High School—Defiance HS, Defiance, Ohio
Height—5-11
Weight—195
Pro Year—5th
Year with Broncos—5th

Dave Preston last year became the first Denver back since Otis Armstrong in 1976 to account for over 1,000 total yards rushing and receiving. Preston carried the ball 183 times for 640 yards, second highest total on the team, and he caught 52 passes for 507 yards and a 9.8 average. Preston's yardage total of 1,147 made him Denver's most productive back in 1981. His 52 catches represent the highest total by a Denver running back since Bo Dickinson caught 60 in 1962, and he has caught at least one pass in 25 consecutive games. His best rushing performance was against Oakland in Denver, when he gained 87 yards on 19 carries. Preston started every game last year. In 1980 against the Jets he caught eight passes for 67 yards, his career high in single game receptions. Selected by New England in the 12th round of the 1977 draft, Dave was later released and signed by the Broncos as a free agent. A versatile athlete, he also has returned kickoffs and punts for the Broncos.

COLLEGE: Dave earned four letters as a tailback at Bowling Green University, making All-Conference and honorable mention All-America. He also won an NCAA post-graduate scholarship. An academic All-America, Preston graduated with a degree in business administration.

PERSONAL: Dave and his wife Mary have two daughters, Sara (8/27/79) and Caitlin (11/3/80). He is very active in the Denver community and serves as chairman of the Colorado Sports Committee for Muscular Dystrophy, in addition to being a member of the National Sports Committee. At Centerville HS in Centerville, Ohio and Defiance HS in Defiance, Dave was a three-year letterman in both football and track, as a hurdler and long-jumper.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING						RECEIVING			
		Games	Starts	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1978	Denver	16	0	66	296	4.5	1	24	199	8.3	1
1979	Denver	10	3	43	169	3.9	1	19	137	7.2	1
1980	Denver	12	10	111	385	3.5	4	35	309	8.8	0
1981	Denver	15	14	183	640	3.5	3	52	507	9.8	0
TOTALS		54	27	403	1,490	3.7	9	130	1,152	8.9	2

PUNT RETURNS

Year	Club	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1978	Denver	10	68	6.8	0
1979	Denver	7	78	11.1	0
1980	Denver	1	7	7.0	0
1981	Denver	0	0	0.0	0
TOTALS		18	151	8.4	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

Year	Club	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1978	Denver	7	154	22.0	0
1979	Denver	13	336	25.8	0
1980	Denver	5	106	21.2	0
1981	Denver	1	1	1.0	0
TOTALS		26	597	23.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled four times and recovered one fumble, 1978; fumbled once and passed once (incomplete), 1979; fumbled twice and recovered one fumble, 1980; fumbled four times, 1981.

No. 11 LUKE EARL PRESTRIDGE

Punter



Birthdate—Sept. 17, 1956
Birthplace—Houston, Tex.
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #7, 1979
College—Baylor
High School—Sharpstown HS, Houston, Tex.
Height—6-5
Weight—235
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—4th

Luke Prestridge goes into his fourth year as the Broncos' punter, working to re-establish in 1982 the form which ranked him as the leading punter in the AFC in 1980. Last year Prestridge posted a 40.4 average, ninth in the conference, with a net punting average of 34.8 and 20 kicks inside the 20-yard line. The previous season was Luke's best as a pro, with his 43.9 mark second only to the Giants' Dave Jennings in the entire NFL. Prestridge had the longest punt of his career in 1981, a 67-yarder against the Bills in Buffalo, where he also set a team record with 12 punts for a 44.3 average. He placed three punts inside the twenty in that game, and his 20 such punts for the season rank as his career high.

COLLEGE: Luke lettered three times as a punter at Baylor. As a junior his 43.7 average set a school record and was seventh in the nation, while his senior mark of 42.7 was 13th in the nation. He lettered four times as a first baseman and was All-Southwestern Conference in 1978 and 1979. Baylor won south central region titles and played in the College World Series both years. Prestridge has a degree in business.

PERSONAL: Luke and his wife Diane make their home in Englewood, Colo. Diane has a degree in education and a master's in speech pathology from Baylor. Luke lists flying as a hobby, and he also is a good golfer. At Sharpstown HS in Houston he won three football letters as a quarterback, linebacker, and punter. Prestridge also lettered twice in basketball as a forward and three times in baseball as a third baseman.

Professional Record

Year	Club	Games	No.	PUNTING					RUSHING				
				Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	LG	Bk.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1979—Denver	16	89	3555	39.9	7	17	63	0	1	29	29.0	0
1980—Denver	16	70	3076	43.9	6	10	57	0		None		
1981—Denver	16	86	3478	40.4	5	20	67	0		None		
TOTALS	...	48	245	10,109	41.3	18	47	67	0	1	29	29.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Passed once, incomplete, 1979; fumbled once, 1981.

No. 32 TONY WAYNE REED

Running Back



Birthdate—March 30, 1955
Birthplace—San Francisco, Calif.
Residence—Lafayette, Colo.
How Acquired—Trade from Kansas City, 1981
College—Colorado
High School—Chofu HS, Tokyo, Japan
Height—5-11
Weight—193
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—2nd

Tony Reed came to the Broncos in a trade with Kansas City on draft day, 1981 and caught the ball very well in a reserve role as running back. Reed caught 34 passes for 317 yards, a 9.3 average, trailing only Dave Preston in receptions by a Denver back. He was Denver's third leading rusher with 156 yards in 1981, playing in all but one of Denver's games last year. He was the Chiefs' second round choice in the 1977 draft and promptly established himself as one of the game's better running backs. In his second pro season he rushed for 1,053 yards and six touchdowns, also catching 48 passes for 483 yards and one TD. In five NFL campaigns Reed has rushed for 2,340 yards, and has excelled as a pass receiver, catching 172 for a 9.9-yard average. He has had five 100-yard games in the NFL, one as a rookie, three in 1978 and one in 1979. His last 100-yard game was against the New York Giants, when he gained 106 yards on 20 carries, also gaining 103 yards on eight receptions in that contest. Reed's career best rushing figure was in 1978 against Seattle, with 121 yards in just 11 carries. He also had his longest career run in that game, a 62-yard jaunt.

COLLEGE: Tony transferred to the University of Colorado from Antelope Valley (Calif.) JC and became one of the best running backs in the Big Eight. In his senior year he ran for 1,210 yards and five touchdowns, earning All-Big Eight honors from both AP and UPI and second team All-America from AP. Reed played in two postseason games with Colorado, the 1976 Bluebonnet Bowl against Texas and the 1977 Orange Bowl against Ohio State. He rushed for 100 yards or more nine times at CU. He majored in business.

PERSONAL: Tony and his wife Jackie have two sons, Tony, Jr. (6/12/77) and Andrew (3/9/80), and the family resides in the Boulder suburb of Lafayette. He has lived in several areas around the world and attended Chofu HS in Tokyo, where his father was stationed with the U. S. Air Force. As a prep athlete, he earned three letters each in football and basketball, and one each in baseball as a shortstop and track as a sprinter and high jumper. Tony lists fishing, camping, waterskiing, basketball, racquetball, and golf as hobbies.

Professional Record

Year	Club	Games	Starts	RUSHING					TD	RECEIVING			
				Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD			No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1977—Chiefs	14	8	126	505	4.0	2			12	125	10.4	0
1978—Chiefs	16	16	206	1,053	5.1	6			48	483	10.1	1
1979—Chiefs	11	11	113	446	4.0	1			34	352	10.4	0
1980—Chiefs	16	7	68	180	2.6	0			44	422	9.6	1
1981—Denver	15	0	68	156	2.3	0			34	317	9.3	0
TOTALS	72	42	581	2,340	4.0	9			172	1,699	9.9	2

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1977; recovered one fumble, 1978; recovered two fumbles, 1979; fumbled once, 1981.

No. 84 JAMES PETER (Jimmy) ROBINSON

Wide Receiver



Birthdate—Jan. 3, 1953
Birthplace—New York, N.Y.
Residence—Atlanta, Ga.
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Georgia Tech
High School—Ridgeview HS, Atlanta, Ga.
Height—5-9
Weight—171
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—1st

Jimmy Robinson was signed by the Broncos as a free agent during the 1981 training camp, but spent the entire season on injured reserve with a hamstring injury. A 15th round choice of the Atlanta Falcons in 1975, he did not make the club but signed with the New York Giants as a free agent the following year. Robinson made 85 pass receptions for 1,437 yards in four seasons with New York, and also worked as a return specialist. His best season was 1978, when he caught 32 passes to tie for the team lead. Robinson was traded to San Francisco in 1980, but spent part of that season on the 49ers injured reserve list with a hamstring injury. Primarily a special teams player for the 49ers, he was released in June of 1981 and signed with Denver later in the summer.

COLLEGE: Jimmy lettered three times at Georgia Tech and was named the Yellow Jackets' offensive MVP in 1972 and 1973 and team MVP in 1974. He also won the Georgia Tech award for highest academic honors among members of the football squad, and was an NCAA scholarship winner as well. He played in the Senior Bowl, Blue-Gray Game, and Coaches' All-America game following his senior year.

PERSONAL: Jimmy is a native New Yorker who makes his home in Atlanta, Ga., where he owns a specialty advertising company. He has two daughters, Jamie Michelle (4/4/78) and Jessica Paige (2/25/81). He played high school football at Ridgeview HS in Atlanta after transferring from Columbia HS in South Orange, N. J.

Professional Record

Year	Club	Games	Starts	RECEIVING				PUNT RETURNS			
				No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1976	— Giants	12	7	18	249	13.8	1	24	106	4.4	0
1977	— Giants	14	14	22	422	19.2	3	7	87	12.4	0
1978	— Giants	16	16	32	620	19.4	2	19	106	5.6	0
1979	— Giants	11	7	13	146	11.2	0	6	29	4.8	0
1980	— San Fran.	5	0	0	0	0.0	0	3	36	12.0	0
1981	— Denver			Injured reserve							
TOTALS		58	44	85	1,437	16.9	6	59	364	6.2	0

Year	Club	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1976	— Giants	20	444	22.2	0
1977	— Giants		None		
1978	— Giants		None		
1979	— Giants	7	140	20.0	0
1980	— San Francisco		None		
1981	— Denver	Injured reserve			
TOTALS		27	584	21.6	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled three times and recovered one fumble, 1976; recovered one fumble for 15 yards, 1977; fumbled once and recovered one fumble, 1978; fumbled twice, 1979.

No. 50 JAMES JOSEPH (Jim) RYAN

Linebacker



Birthdate — May 18, 1957
Birthplace — Bellmawr, N.J.
Residence — Denver, Colo.
How Acquired — FA, 1979
College — William and Mary
High School — Bishop Eustace HS, Pennsauken, N.J.
Height — 6-1
Weight — 215
Pro Year — 4th
Year with Broncos — 4th

Jim Ryan was voted by his teammates as the Broncos' special

teams most valuable player last year, and he served as the special teams captain throughout the 1981 season. Ryan's play was not limited exclusively to special teams work, as he backed up both starting outside linebackers and made 22 tackles. He has not missed a game in three years since making the team as a free agent in 1979. Ryan has played all four linebacker positions in Denver.

COLLEGE: Jim won four letters as a linebacker at William and Mary, and as a senior he was player of the year and earned a berth on the Eastern College Athletic Conference all-star team. Ryan graduated with a degree in business management.

PERSONAL: Jim is single and resides in Denver, where he is working toward a master's degree in business administration (real estate-construction orientation) at Denver University. Ryan earned 12 varsity letters at Bishop Eustace HS in Pennsauken, N. J., four as a linebacker and tight end in football, four as a basketball forward, and four as a baseball catcher.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1979 (16), 1980 (16), 1981 (16).

GAMES STARTED: None.

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1979; intercepted one pass for 21 yards, 1980; returned one kickoff for two yards, 1981.

No. 49 DENNIS SMITH

Safety



Birthdate — Feb. 3, 1959
Birthplace — Santa Monica, Calif.
Residence — Santa Monica, Calif.
How Acquired — Draft #1, 1981
College — Southern California
High School — Santa Monica HS, Santa Monica, Calif.
Height — 6-3
Weight — 200
Pro Year — 2nd
Year with Broncos — 2nd

Dennis Smith played in every game of his rookie year and started four times at cornerback in place of the injured Perry Smith. Dennis was in on 45 tackles and accounted for three turnovers in 1981. He recovered two fumbles, including one on which he forced the fumble in Denver's overtime win against Cleveland, giving the Broncos possession for their final drive against the Browns. Smith made his first pro interception at Chicago and returned it 65 yards, the longest interception return by a Bronco last year. He started the last three games of the season at right cornerback, but is projected as a strong safety by Denver coaches.

COLLEGE: Dennis earned four letters in football and three more in track at Southern California, making several All-America teams following his senior season. His four-year totals included 205 tackles and 16 pass interceptions, including a team high of seven in 1978. Smith played in the Rose Bowl following the 1978 and 1979 seasons and in the Bluebonnet Bowl after the 1977 campaign. He demonstrated his athletic prowess as a seven-foot high jumper for the Trojan track team.

PERSONAL: Dennis is single and makes his off-season home in his hometown of Santa Monica, Calif. He took some classes at Southern Cal in the off-season, continuing work on his degree. Smith lettered twice as a wide receiver and defensive back at Santa Monica HS, also earning three prep letters in track

and one more in basketball. The high jump was Smith's event throughout his track career.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
		Games	Starts				
1981	— Denver	16	4	1	65	65.0	0
TOTALS		16	4	1	65	65.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1981.

No. 45 EALTHON PERRY (Perry) SMITH Cornerback



Birthdate—March 29, 1952
Birthplace—Greer City, S.C.
Residence—Ft. Collins, Colo.
How Acquired—Trade with St. Louis, 1980
College—Colorado State
High School—Lincoln HS, Greer, S.C.
Height—6-1
Weight—190
Pro Year—10th
Year with Broncos—3rd

Perry Smith moved into the starting lineup in place of the injured Louis Wright at left cornerback in the ninth week of the 1981 season, starting four games before a concussion forced him onto the injured reserve list. He was on injured reserve for the last three weeks of the season, and missed an earlier game due to injury, but Perry played well in relief of Wright and was in on 35 tackles for the Broncos. He came to Denver in a trade with St. Louis prior to the 1980 season. Originally a fourth round draft choice of the Oakland Raiders in 1973, he went to Green Bay that year after having been waived by Oakland and became a starter for the Packers. Smith started for Green Bay from 1973 through 1976, then was traded to St. Louis in 1977, moving into the Cardinals' starting lineup. In 1978 and 1979 he played primarily as the fifth back in the St. Louis defense. Smith was one of the NFL's leading interceptors in 1975 when he had six for 97 yards and a 16.2 average.

COLLEGE: Perry was a junior college All-America at Mesa (Ariz.) JC, where he played both running back and defensive back, before transferring to Colorado State. He began as an offensive back at CSU before switching to the defensive backfield. Smith graduated with a degree in political science.

PERSONAL: Perry is married (Theresa Marie), and makes his off-season home in Ft. Collins, Colo., where he is in the executive officer training program at the First Interstate Bank of Ft. Collins. He lists racquetball and reading financial research and information as his hobbies. At Lincoln HS in Greer, South Carolina Perry lettered 10 times, three each in football, baseball and track, and once in basketball.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
		Games	Starts				
1973	— Green Bay	8	7		None		
1974	— Green Bay	12	0		None		
1975	— Green Bay	14	12	6	97	16.2	0
1976	— Green Bay	13	13	1	0	0	0
1977	— St. Louis	3	3		None		
1978	— St. Louis	16	3	3	6	2.0	0
1979	— St. Louis	9	4	1	22	22.0	0
1980	— Denver	14	1	2	3	1.5	0
1981	— Denver	12	4		None		
TOTALS		101	47	13	128	9.8	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1974; returned one kickoff for 10 yards, 1977; recovered two fumbles for 42 yards and returned one punt for no yards, 1978.

No. 39 ROLAND HOWARD SOLOMON Cornerback



Birthdate—Feb. 6, 1956
Birthplace—Ft. Worth, Texas
Residence—Dallas, Texas
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Utah
High School—Cabrillo HS, Lampoc, Calif.
Height—6-0
Weight—189
Pro Year—3
Year with Broncos—2nd

Roland Solomon was signed as a free agent by the Broncos late last season and played in the final four Denver games, primarily on special teams. Originally signed as a free agent by the Buffalo Bills in 1979, he was released before that season began. Solomon played in 10 games for Dallas in 1980, was released in November, and rejoined the Bills for the last game of the 1980 campaign. He also spent part of the 1980 training camp with the Kansas City Chiefs. In 1979 Roland was Buffalo's preseason kickoff return leader with 12 for 271 yards and a 22.6 average, including one for 43 yards.

COLLEGE: Roland attended the University of Utah, where he was a wide receiver.

PERSONAL: Roland is a native of Ft. Worth, Texas, and now makes his home in Dallas. He is related to San Francisco 49ers wide receiver Freddie Solomon.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980 (11), 1981 (4).

GAMES STARTED: None.

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Returned one punt for eight yards, 1980.

No. 19 FREDERICK W. (Fred) STEINFORT Kicker



Birthdate—Nov. 3, 1952
Birthplace—Wetter/Ruhr, West Germany
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1979
College—Boston College
High School—Brighton HS, Brighton, Mass.
Height—5-11
Weight—190
Pro Year—7th
Year with Broncos—4th

Fred Steinfort was Denver's leading scorer in 1981 with 87 points, hitting on 17 of 30 field goal attempts and converting 36 points after touchdowns. He had an early-season slump but rebounded strongly in the second half, hitting on 12 of his final 14 attempts. In 1980 he kicked 26 of 34 field goals attempted for a 76.5 success record, the highest in Denver history. His 110 points

scored in 1980 were the most by a Bronco since 1962, and Steinfort's field goal total of 26 is the second highest in team history (Gene Mingo kicked 27 in 1962). He has twice kicked four field goals in one game (at Cleveland, 10/5/80, and at Seattle, 12/21/80), and has kicked five longer than 50 yards, with the longest being 57 against Washington in 1980, ranking as a team and personal record. At Seattle in 1980 Fred kicked 55 and 53-yard field goals, tying several players in the NFL record book for most field goals of more than 50 yards in a single game. Steinfort was the AFC's third leading scorer in 1980, finishing fourth in the NFL and earning Pro Football Weekly's "Golden Toe Award" as the game's premier kicker. He was named All-NFL by Pro Football Weekly and The Sporting News.

COLLEGE: Fred was a four-year kicker at Boston College who set a school career scoring mark with 215 points on 32 field goals and 119 extra points. He hit a 55-yarder against Tulane in 1974. Steinfort played in the Coaches' All-America Game to close out his college career.

PERSONAL: Fred was born in West Germany and migrated to the United States in 1965. Single, Fred makes his home in Denver. His personal interests include photography, hiking, racquetball, and bicycle touring. Steinfort was a wide receiver, punter, and placekicker at Brighton (Mass.) HS, also lettering in basketball, baseball, and soccer.

Professional Record

Year	Club	CONVERSIONS			FIELD GOALS		
		Games	No.-Att.	Pct.	No.-Att.	Pct.	Points
1976	Oakland	7	16-19	.842	4-8	.500	28
1977	Atlanta	7	13-13	1.000	6-11	.546	31
1978	Atlanta	6	8-9	.889	3-10	.300	17
1979	Denver	1			No Attempts		
1980	Denver	16	32-33	.96.9	26-34	.76.5	110
1981	Denver	16	36-37	.97.3	17-30	.56.7	87
TOTALS		53	105-111	94.6	56-93	60.2	273

No. 70 DAVID DERALD (Dave) STUDDARD

Tackle



Birthdate—Nov. 22, 1955
Birthplace—San Antonio, Tex.
Residence—Westminster, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1979
College—Texas
High School—Pearsall HS, Pearsall, Tex.
Height—6-4
Weight—260
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—4th

Dave Studdard started every one of Denver's 16 games last year, completing his third pro campaign without missing a game due to injury. A three-year starter at tackle, Dave is one of the best athletes in the Broncos' offensive line. Signed as a free agent in 1979, he also has played guard for Denver. Studdard has displayed his versatility with two pass receptions while playing tight end on short yardage formations, including one for a touchdown in a victory over Seattle in 1979. Originally a ninth round draft choice of the Baltimore Colts, he was waived by Baltimore at the end of their 1978 training camp and sat out that season. He signed with Denver for 1979, became a starting tackle immediately and made the NFL All-Rookie team.

COLLEGE: Dave lettered three times and was an All-Southwest Athletic Conference player at the University of Texas,

where he was a teammate of Houston running back Earl Campbell. He graduated with a degree in physical education.

PERSONAL: Dave and his wife Cecilia make their home in the Denver suburb of Westminster. An avid outdoorsman, he lists hunting as his favorite hobby. At Pearsall (Texas) HS he earned 11 letters, three in football as a tight end, three in basketball as a center, three as a weight man in track and field, and two more in baseball as a first baseman. Studdard is a nephew of Howard Fest, former guard with Cincinnati and Tampa Bay.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RECEIVING		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
		Games	Starts				
1979	Denver	16	16	1	2	2.0	1
1980	Denver	16	12	0	0	0.0	0
1981	Denver	16	16	1	10	10.0	0
TOTALS		48	44	2	12	6.0	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 51 ROBERT CHARLES (Bob) SWENSON

Linebacker



Birthdate—July 1, 1953
Birthplace—Stockton, Calif.
Residence—Louisville, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1975
College—California
High School—Tracy HS, Tracy, Calif.
Height—6-3
Weight—225
Pro Year—7th
Year with Broncos—7th

Bob Swenson came back from a year on injured reserve to have an outstanding season in 1981, making the AFC Pro Bowl team and being named All-Pro according to AP, NEA, and The Sporting News. He was Denver's second leading tackler with 145, trailing only fellow Pro Bowler Randy Gradishar. Swenson was in on a significant number of big plays last year, including three interceptions, three fumble recoveries, and three quarterback sacks. He started every game and was voted defensive MVP by his teammates, an honor which he also received in 1979. Among Swenson's many big plays was an interception late in the fourth quarter against Kansas City to preserve a critical victory for the Broncos. He missed the entire 1980 regular season because of a broken arm suffered in preseason play against Los Angeles. The injury required surgical repair and a lengthy rehabilitation program prior to the 1981 season, and he had postseason surgery to remove a plate and screw from his left arm. He became a starter as a free agent rookie in 1975 and held the job through 64 consecutive regular season games until his injury forced him out of action in 1980. In 1979 he was in on 163 tackles, made three interceptions, and recovered four fumbles, one of which he returned 88 yards for a touchdown play at Kansas City. Swenson earned UPI All-AFC second team in 1979. He now has a career total of 11 interceptions and nine fumble recoveries.

COLLEGE: Bob earned three letters as a linebacker at the University of California at Berkeley, where he was a teammate of other NFL players such as Steve Bartkowski, Wesley Walker, and Chuck Muncie. Swenson also played rugby at Cal and graduated with a degree in marketing.

PERSONAL: Bob is single and makes his home in Louisville, Colo., where he also is involved in private business. At Tracy (Calif.) HS he earned two letters as a football linebacker, two as a

basketball forward, and one as a baseball centerfielder. He lists acrylic painting, watercolors, tennis, racquetball, and rugby as hobbies.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
		Games	Starts				
1975	Denver	14	0	1	4	4.0	0
1976	Denver	14	14	2	31	15.5	0
1977	Denver	14	14	1	0	0.0	0
1978	Denver	16	15	1	0	0.0	0
1979	Denver	16	16	3	0	0.0	0
1980	Denver	Injured reserve					
1981	Denver	16	16	3	53	17.7	0
TOTALS		90	75	11	88	8.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble for a five yard return, lateral to Randy Polt for touchdown against Tampa Bay, 1976; recovered one fumble for four yards, 1978; recovered four fumbles, returned one 88 yards for a touchdown at San Francisco, 1979; recovered three fumbles, 1981.

No. 36 WILLIAM ALLEN (Billy) THOMPSON

Safety



Birthdate—Oct. 10, 1946
Birthplace—Greenville, S.C.
Residence—Lakewood, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #3, 1969
College—Maryland State
High School—Sterling HS, Greenville, S.C.
Height—6-1
Weight—200
Pro Year—14th
Year with Broncos—14th

Billy Thompson, starting his 14th season in 1982, has been a Bronco longer than any other player in Denver history. He enters his 14th year after a 1981 campaign which earned him his third Pro Bowl appearance and a berth on the UPI All-AFC team. Since being a third round draft choice out of Maryland State (now Maryland-Eastern Shore) in 1969, he has started 142 consecutive regular season games, a team record and one of the longest consecutive game streaks currently running in the NFL. Last year he intercepted four passes, giving him a career total of 40 (second in the Denver record book to Goose Gonsoulin, who had 43), and he recovered two fumbles to give him a total of six turnovers. Thompson is the only player in NFL history to return four fumbles for touchdowns during a career. Billy now has accounted for 61 turnovers as a professional, and he has returned seven of them for scores. He recorded 91 tackles from his strong safety position last year, tops among Denver defensive backs, and again served as defensive captain, sharing that role with Randy Gradishar. As a rookie in 1969 Thompson led the American Football League in both punt returns and kickoff returns, the only player in pro football history to do so. Thompson has been voted All-AFC four times (1977, 1978, 1979, and 1981) and went to the Pro Bowl following the 1977, 1978, and 1981 seasons.

COLLEGE: Billy had a brilliant career at Maryland State. He was selected All-CIAA three times as a defensive back and was MVP as a senior, twice earning NAIA All-America honors. He played in the College All-Star game in 1969. Billy also made All-CIAA three times as a baseball center fielder and graduated with a degree in physical education and biology.

PERSONAL: Billy is single and makes his home in the Denver

suburb of Lakewood. He lists golf, hunting, and fishing as his hobbies. Thompson was a 12-letter man at Sterling HS in Greenville, South Carolina, where he won four as a football quarterback, four as a basketball guard, and four as a baseball center fielder, in addition to serving as student body president.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	PUNT RETURNS			
		Games	Starts					No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1969	Denver	14	13	3	92	30.7	1	25	288	11.5	0
1970	Denver	9	9	2	65	32.5	0	23	233	10.1	0
1971	Denver	14	14	5	83	16.6	0	29	274	9.4	0
1972	Denver	8	8	1	4	4.0	0	4	82	20.5	0
1973	Denver	14	14	3	96	32.0	1	30	366	12.2	0
1974	Denver	14	14	5	105	21.0	1	26	350	13.5	0
1975	Denver	14	14	2	97	48.5	0	13	158	12.2	0
1976	Denver	14	14	None				6	60	10.0	0
1977	Denver	14	14	5	122	24.4	0	None			
1978	Denver	16	16	4	0	0.0	0	1	3	3.0	0
1979	Denver	16	16	4	57	14.3	0	None			
1980	Denver	16	16	2	49	24.5	0	None			
1981	Denver	16	16	4	14	3.5	0	None			
TOTALS		179	178	40	784	19.6	3	157	1,814	11.6	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

		KICKOFF RETURNS			
Year	Club	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1969	Denver	18	513	28.5	0
1970	Denver	9	188	20.9	0
1971	Denver	5	105	21.0	0
1972	Denver		None		
1973	Denver	1	25	25.0	0
1974	Denver	13	325	25.0	0
1975	Denver		None		
1976	Denver		None		
1977	Denver		None		
1978	Denver		None		
1979	Denver		None		
1980	Denver		None		
1981	Denver		None		
TOTALS		41	1,156	28.2	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered three fumbles, 1969; recovered one fumble, 1970; recovered two fumbles for 15 yards, 1971; recovered two fumbles for 80 yards and one touchdown, 1973; recovered two fumbles, 1974; recovered three fumbles for 16 yards, 1977; recovered two fumbles for four yards and one touchdown, 1978; recovered two fumbles (one opponent, one Denver) for 28 yards and one touchdown, 1979; recovered two opponent fumbles, ran one back 32 yards for a touchdown, 1980; recovered two fumbles, 1981.

No. 37 STEVEN GARFIELD (Steve) TRIMBLE

Cornerback



Birthdate—May 11, 1958
Birthplace—Cumberland, Md.
Residence—Cumberland, Md.
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Maryland
High School—Fort Hill HS, Cumberland, Md.
Height—5-10
Weight—181
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—2nd

Steve Trimble was signed as a free agent after the 1981 NFL draft and was one of Denver's final cuts before the regular season, subsequently rejoining the club for the final three games of the year. Trimble was signed when cornerback Perry Smith went on the injured reserve list. Steve's play was limited to special teams work in his rookie year.

COLLEGE: Steve won three letters as a defensive back and punt return specialist at Maryland, intercepting six passes in his college career. His punt return average was 8.2 as a junior and 7.5 as a senior. Trimble played in the Sun Bowl in 1978 and the Tangerine Bowl in 1980. He graduated from Maryland with a degree in criminology.

PERSONAL: Steve lives in his hometown of Cumberland, Md., in the off-season. He earned seven letters at Fort Hill HS in Cumberland, including four in track and two in football. He captained a state championship team on which he made all-state at halfback, and one year rushed for 1,677 yards and scored 32 touchdowns. Steve's hobbies include photography and the martial arts.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1981 (3).

GAMES STARTED: None.

No. 80 RICKIE (Rick) UPCHURCH

Wide Receiver



Birthdate—May 20, 1952
Birthplace—Toledo, Ohio
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #4b, 1975
College—Minnesota
High School—Springfield HS,
 Holland, Ohio
Height—5-10
Weight—180
Pro Year—8th
Year with Broncos—8th

Rick Upchurch missed three games because of a sprained knee last year but still caught 32 passes for 550 yards and a 17.2 average, including three for touchdowns. Going into his eighth professional season, he now has caught 201 passes for 3,323 yards (a 16.5 average) and 19 TDs. He ranks sixth in number of catches and touchdowns in the Denver record book, and is fifth in yardage. He had two 100-yard games in 1981, catching five for 138 yards at Kansas City and six for 102 yards and two TDs at Chicago in the season finale. Upchurch's best pro game in number of catches came in 1979 against Kansas City (10/14/79), when he had eight receptions. His longest career reception came in the first game of his rookie year against Kansas City, when he caught a 90-yard TD pass. In that game he caught three passes for 153 yards, had 88 yards on three kickoff returns, 30 yards on a punt return, and 13 more on a flanker reverse. At game's end Upchurch had totaled 284 yards in handling the ball eight times, an average of 35.5 per touch. The NFL's all-time leading punt returner, Upchurch has gained 2,714 yards and averaged 11.8 yards per return in his career, taking six in for scores. He led the NFL in punt return average in both 1976 and 1978, both times with a 13.7 average. In 1976 he tied the NFL record for punt returns for TDs in a season (four) and in a game (two). A Pro Bowler in 1976, 1978, and 1979, Rick was named All-NFL each of those years and set a record with a 67-yard kickoff return against Dallas in Super Bowl XII. His 2,355 yards on kickoff returns for the Broncos trail only Floyd Little, who had 2,523 in his Denver career.

COLLEGE: Rick played running back at Minnesota for two seasons and for two years at Indian Hills JC before that, earning two letters at each school. He also competed in track as a sprinter and long-jumper, again earning two letters at each school. He played in the Hula Bowl and was a business administration major

at Minnesota.

PERSONAL: Rick and his wife Diana have two sons, Daillo (9/10/78) and Sharif (10/12/79), and two daughters, Stacie (2/26/69) and Richelle (8/8/70). He owns his own health club, the All-Pro Medical and Fitness Center, which is located in downtown Denver. At Springfield HS in Holland, Ohio he earned two letters as a football running back, two as a basketball guard, and four as a sprinter and long jumper on the track team.

Professional Record

Year	Club	Games	RUSHING					RECEIVING				
			Starts	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	
1975	Denver	14	0	16	97	6.1	1	18	436	24.2	2	
1976	Denver	13	0	6	71	11.8	1	12	340	28.3	1	
1977	Denver	14	1	1	19	19.0	1	12	245	20.4	2	
1978	Denver	12	0	5	31	6.2	0	17	210	12.4	1	
1979	Denver	16	16	3	17	5.6	0	64	937	14.6	7	
1980	Denver	16	14	5	49	9.8	0	46	605	13.2	3	
1981	Denver	13	10	5	56	11.2	0	32	550	17.2	3	
TOTALS			98	41	41	340	8.2	3	201	3,323	16.5	19

Year	Club	PUNT RETURNS					KICKOFF RETURNS				
		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	
1975	Denver	27	312	11.6	0		40	1084	27.1	0	
1976	Denver	39	536	13.7	4		22	514	23.4	0	
1977	Denver	51	653	12.8	1		20	456	22.8	0	
1978	Denver	36	493	13.7	1		8	222	27.8	0	
1979	Denver	30	304	10.1	0		5	79	15.8	0	
1980	Denver	37	353	9.5	0						
1981	Denver	9	63	7.0	0						
TOTALS		229	2,714	11.8	6		95	2,355	24.7	0	

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled three times and recovered one fumble, 1975; fumbled five times and recovered three fumbles, 1976; fumbled six times and recovered two fumbles, 1977; fumbled twice, 1978; passed once (incomplete), fumbled five times and recovered one fumble, 1979; fumbled twice and recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 81 STEPHEN ROSS (Steve) WATSON

Wide Receiver



Birthdate—May 28, 1957
Birthplace—Baltimore, Md.
Residence—Arvada, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1979
College—Temple University
High School—St. Mark's HS,
 Wilmington, Del.
Height—6-4
Weight—195
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—4th

Steve Watson had a brilliant season in 1981, leading the AFC in pass reception yardage with 1,244 and, with Atlanta's Alfred Jenkins, pacing the entire league in reception touchdowns with 13. Watson's rise to prominence was one of the most remarkable stories in the NFL last year as the third year free agent from Temple moved into the Denver starting lineup in the second week of the season and rewrote the Bronco record books. He caught 60 passes and set new team records for reception yards (the previous record was 1,235, set by Lionel Taylor in 1960) and TDs (the previous record was 12 by Taylor in 1960). His 13 TDs tied the single season total recorded by Floyd Little in 1972 and 1973. Watson's career per catch average now is 20.5 over three seasons, which equals the top mark among all-time Denver receivers (set by Billy Van Heusen, 1968-76). Watson was named All-AFC by UPI, earned a trip to the Pro Bowl, and was voted the club's

offensive MVP by his teammates. He had five 100-yard games, with his high yardage total of 182 coming on five catches against Detroit. Steve caught at least one pass in every game and had his pro high of eight for 178 yards against San Diego in Denver. He caught a 95-yard TD pass from Craig Morton against the Lions and a 93-yarder in that Chargers game, later setting yet another record with an 86-yard reception against Kansas City, which is the longest non-scoring pass in Bronco history. He caught three TD passes against Baltimore, scored twice in three other games, and had a streak of at least one TD pass in five straight games. Not drafted, Watson signed with Denver in 1979 and has played in every Bronco game since then, being used primarily as a special teams player until last year.

COLLEGE: Steve was a four-year letterman at wide receiver for Temple and was selected to the All-East team, playing in the East-West Shrine Game to close out his college career. He also won three letters and two conference championships as a long jumper, graduating with a degree in parks administration.

PERSONAL: Steve and his wife Martie live in Arvada, Colo. Watson was a nine-letter man at St. Mark's HS in Wilmington, Del., earning three in football, three as a basketball guard, and three as a long jumper and sprinter in track.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RECEIVING Games Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1979	Denver	16 0	6	83	13.8	0
1980	Denver	16 1	6	146	24.3	0
1981	Denver	16 13	60	1,244	20.7	13
TOTALS		48 14	72	1,473	20.5	13

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1980; rushed twice for six yards, recovered two fumbles, 1981.

No. 87 JAMES WILLIE (Jim) WRIGHT

Tight End



Birthdate—Sept. 1, 1956
Birthplace—Ft. Hood, Texas
Residence—Houston, Texas
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—Texas Christian
High School—Brenham HS, Brenham, Texas
Height—6-3
Weight—240
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—3rd

Jim Wright saw considerable playing time in his first full year with the Broncos, primarily on special teams and in the deployment of two-tight ends. He caught three passes and carried the ball once on an end-around play. Jim scored his first pro touchdown on a pass from Craig Morton in Denver's 42-24 victory over San Diego. He joined the Broncos as a free agent at the end of the 1980 season, playing in the final game of the year. Drafted in the seventh round by Atlanta in 1978, he stuck with the Falcons as a rookie, catching two passes and returning two kickoffs that year. Wright missed the entire 1979 season on injured reserve, then was waived at the close of the preseason in 1980.

COLLEGE: Jim played two seasons as a tight end at Texas Christian University, earning two letters while catching 27 passes for the Horned Frogs. He was used primarily as a blocking tight end in the TCU offense. Wright graduated with a bachelor's degree in psychology.

PERSONAL: Jim and his wife Glenda have a daughter, Stephanie (9/21/80), and the family resides in Houston, Texas. Jim is enrolled in graduate school at the University of Houston in the off-season. His hobbies are landscaping and classic cars, and he does extensive work in youth programs. At Brenham (Texas) HS, Wright won three letters in football and two in track as a sprinter.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RECEIVING Games Starts	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1978	Atlanta	15 0	2	26	13.0	0
1979	Atlanta	Injured Reserve				
1980	Denver	1 0	None			
1981	Denver	16 0	3	22	7.3	1
TOTALS		32 0	5	48	9.6	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Returned two kickoffs for 31 yards, 1978; rushed once for 11 yards, recovered one fumble, 1981.

No. 20 LOUIS DONNEL WRIGHT

Cornerback



Birthdate—Jan. 31, 1953
Birthplace—Gilmer, Texas
Residence—Bakersfield, Calif.
How Acquired—Draft #1, 1975
College—San Jose State
High School—Bakersfield HS, Bakersfield, Calif.
Height—6-2
Weight—200
Pro Year—8th
Year with Broncos—8th

Louis Wright missed the entire second half of the 1981 season with a calf strain, going onto the injured reserve list for the season's final four games. Wright was in on 32 tackles and recovered one enemy fumble in his eight starts prior to the injury, which occurred during pre-game warmups for the Minnesota game. Wright was a unanimous All-Pro and played in the Pro Bowl in 1977, 1978, and 1979, and he goes into his eighth Denver campaign with nine career interceptions and an excellent 21.2 return average. Prior to missing the first Seattle game of the 1979 season with an eye injury, Wright had started in 89 consecutive regular season games. A first round draft choice by the Broncos from San Jose State in 1975, Louis has recorded a 4.4 second time in the 40-yard dash.

COLLEGE: Louis had an outstanding two-year career at San Jose State after transferring from Bakersfield JC, lettering twice as a defensive back and capping his career with appearances in the East-West Shrine Game and the College All-Star Game. He was an All-Coast football selection, and also won two letters as a 9.6 sprinter in the 100, posted a 21.2 time in the 220, a 47.6 in the 440, and had a long jump of 25'7" for the track team. Wright majored in business management.

PERSONAL: Louis and his wife Vicki have a daughter, Summer Marie (3/12/79), and the family makes its off-season home in Bakersfield, Calif. At Bakersfield HS, Louis played wide receiver and defensive end in earning two varsity letters, in addition to winning two track letters as a sprinter and long jumper.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
		Games	Starts				
1975	— Denver	11	9	2	9	4.5	0
1976	— Denver	14	14	0	32 (yds. on lat'r'l)	0	0
1977	— Denver	14	14	3	128	42.7	1
1978	— Denver	16	16	2	2	1.0	0
1979	— Denver	16	16	2	2	10.0	0
1980	— Denver	15	15	None			
1981	— Denver	8	8	None			
TOTALS		94	92	9	191	21.2	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble for four yards, 1975; recovered one fumble, 1976; recovered two fumbles, 1978; recovered one fumble for four yards, ran 78 yards for a touchdown after a lateral from Randy Gradishar, and blocked one kick, 1979; recovered one fumble for -5 yards, 1981.

INJURED RESERVE 1981

No. 82 ANTHONY EUGENE (Amp) ARNOLD

Wide Receiver



Birthdate—Dec. 18, 1958
Birthplace—Athens, Ga.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Georgia
High School—Cedar Shoals HS, Athens, Ga.
Height—5-11
Weight—176
Pro Year—1st
Year with Broncos—1st

Anthony (Amp) Arnold signed as a free agent with Denver after the 1980 draft, but a training camp knee injury kept him on the injured reserve list all season.

COLLEGE: Anthony was a starting wide receiver on the 1980 national championship Georgia squad, earning four letters with the Bulldogs from 1977-80. Arnold majored in education.

PERSONAL: Anthony is single and likes music and sports. He graduated from Cedar Shoals HS in his native Athens, Ga., where he earned three letters as a football quarterback and three more in basketball.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1981 (0-injured reserve).

No. 55 THOMAS MATTHEW (Matt) BRASWELL

Center/Guard



Birthdate—June 6, 1958
Birthplace—Americus, Ga.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Georgia
High School—Americus HS, Americus, Ga.
Height—6-2
Weight—255
Pro Year—1st
Year with Broncos—1st

Matt Braswell came to the Broncos in a trade with the Oakland Raiders at the start of Denver's 1981 training camp, but missed the entire season due to a knee injury which occurred during the camp. He can play both the center and guard positions. Braswell signed with Oakland as a free agent in 1980 but elected not to play for the Raiders that year for personal reasons.

COLLEGE: Matt was a four-year letterman and three-year starter at Georgia, twice making the All-Southeastern Conference team. He received honorable mention All-America citation from UPI.

PERSONAL: Matt and his wife, Mari Lou, have one daughter, Laci Ann (8/23/81), and the family made its home in Denver during the off-season.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1981 (0-injured reserve).

No. 89 CLAYTON LEE (Clay) BROWN

Tight End



Birthdate—Sept. 20, 1958
Birthplace—Los Angeles, Calif.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #2, 1981
College—Brigham Young
High School—San Gabriel HS, San Gabriel, Calif.
Height—6-2
Weight—223
Pro Year—1st
Year with Broncos—1st

Clay Brown was drafted by Denver in the second round of the 1981 player draft, but suffered a knee injury in the last preseason game at Cincinnati and spent the entire year on injured reserve. Brown had two receptions for 36 yards in the 1981 preseason.

COLLEGE: Clay had a brilliant career at Brigham Young, catching 88 passes for 1,691 yards (a 19.2 average) and 17 touchdowns. As a senior he caught 48 for a team-high 1,009 yards and set a Western Athletic Conference record with 15 TD receptions. Brown earned numerous All-WAC and All-America honors as a senior and was All-WAC both as a punter and tight end. Both AP and UPI cited him as honorable mention All-America the previous year. His career punting average was 41.8, and he led the nation in 1979 with a 45.3 mark. He concluded his college play with appearances in the Hula Bowl and Senior Bowl, as well as the Holiday Bowl, in which Brown's last-second TD catch lifted BYU past Southern Methodist. Clay earned three letters at BYU and graduated with a degree in business management.

PERSONAL: Clay and his wife Ria have two sons, Clayton Eugene (9/11/77) and Derek Christopher (5/2/81). He graduated from San Gabriel (Calif.) HS, where he earned six letters, including three in football, two in basketball, and one in track.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1981 (0-injured reserve).

No. 52 THOMAS LLOYD (Tom) DAVIS
Center/Guard



Birthdate—July 31, 1955
Birthplace—Omaha, Neb.
Residence—Lakewood, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—Nebraska
High School—Omaha North HS, Omaha, Neb.
Height—6-2
Weight—245
Pro Year—1st
Year with Broncos—1st

Tom Davis signed with Denver as a free agent prior to the 1980 season, but a broken arm in 1980 and a knee injury in 1981 kept him on the Broncos' injured reserve list both seasons. He plays both the center and guard positions. Davis was a sixth round draft choice of the Oakland Raiders in 1978 but did not make the club and played in the Canadian Football League. He played for Toronto in 1978-79 and for Ottawa in 1979 as well.

COLLEGE: Tom earned All-Big Eight and first team All-America mention by the Football Writers Association as a three-year letterman at Nebraska, setting a school record with seven bowl game appearances during his Cornhusker career. Davis played in four bowl games (Sugar, Fiesta, Astro-Bluebonnet, and Liberty) with his Nebraska teammates and in three all-star games as a senior (the East-West Shrine Game, Hula Bowl, and Japan Bowl).

PERSONAL: Tom is single and lists flying, skiing, and modeling as his hobbies. At North Omaha (Neb.) HS he lettered six times, three in football, two in basketball as a center, and one in wrestling. He prefers to use his nickname of "Slick."

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980 (0-injured reserve), 1981 (0-injured reserve).



ROOKIES, FIRST-YEAR PLAYERS



Dennis Smith, 1981 number one draft choice from Southern California.

1982 DRAFT CHOICES

BRIAN ERWIN CLARK G

Clemson

6-6, 260 DOB: Sept. 22, 1960

Draft Choice #12



Brian Clark was one of the most versatile linemen for the national champion Clemson Bulldogs, playing guard, tackle, and tight end during his college career. He played both tackle and tight end for the final nine games of the 1980 season, then switched to guard for his senior year. Clark earned three letters and twice was named South Carolina player of the week. His team won Atlantic Coast Conference titles in 1978 and 1981, in addition to claiming the national title last year. Clark played in the Gator Bowl (1978), the Peach Bowl (1980), and the Orange Bowl (1982), and graduated this year with a degree in mechanical engineering. A native of Anderson, South Carolina, Clark earned three letters in football and two as a basketball center at Cypress Lake HS in Ft. Myers, Fla.

ORLANDO KEITH McDANIEL

WR

Louisiana State

6-0, 180 DOB: Dec. 1, 1960

Draft Choice #2



A world-class 110-meter hurdler and two-time track All-America at Louisiana State, Orlando McDaniel last year led the Tigers in pass receptions with 41 for 719 yards and a 17.5 yard average, scoring two touchdowns. In 1979 he led the club with a 29.4 average on 10 receptions, and his 1,184 career yards rank as third best in LSU history. McDaniel was a second-team All-SEC choice in 1981 and played in both the Blue-Gray and Senior Bowl games. As a sophomore, he caught three passes for a career high 172 yards, including a 75-yard TD reception, against Mississippi State. McDaniel was the runner-up in the high hurdles in the NCAA championships in both 1980 and 1981. He was timed in 13.66 in the Kansas Relays in 1980, the second fastest time in the world. He earned four letters each in football and track at LSU, majoring in broadcast journalism. Born in Shreveport, La., McDaniel was a 1977 prep All-America, All-District, and All-State in football at Lake Charles (La.) HS, where he earned three letters each in football and track. His 13.5 120-yard high hurdles time was the country's best for a high school senior. Orlando's hobbies include running and editing film.

DAN H. PLATER WR

Brigham Young

6-1, 182 DOB: July 22, 1960

Draft Choice #4



A four-year letterman who saw plenty of action in Brigham Young's multiple receiver offense, Dan Plater last year was first team All-WAC and AP honorable mention All-America. He played in three successive Holiday Bowls, caught six passes in last year's Senior Bowl and was named the MVP in the East-West Shrine Game. Plater finished fifth in the nation in pass receptions with 62 last year, for 891 yards, a 14.4 average, and five TDs. His career figures totaled 124 catches for 1,979 yards, a 16.0 average, and 16 TDs. Plater had many outstanding days in his BYU career, including three 100-yard games as a senior and the WAC player of the week honor for the Cougars' victory over New Mexico last year. He caught a 35-yard TD pass in BYU's most recent Holiday Bowl victory over Washington State. Plater was second in the WAC in TD receptions with eight as a junior, earning first team All-WAC honors in both 1979 and 1980. A pre-med student majoring in zoology at BYU, he was selected as an NCAA post graduate scholar with a 3.66 grade point average. Born in Reno, Nev., Plater earned six letters (two in football, one in basketball, and three in track) at Reno HS. Married (Adrienne), Dan lists hunting as his hobby.

ALVIN WAYNE RUBEN DE

Houston

6-4, 245 DOB: Sept. 20, 1958

Draft Choice #7



A versatile athlete who played defensive end, defensive tackle, and tight end at the University of Houston, Alvin Ruben is projected exclusively as a defensive end by the Broncos. Ruben earned two football letters and two more in baseball at Houston. He was drafted by the Montreal Expos in the 1980 June draft. He began his college football career as a tight end in 1977, switched to defense the following season and won a starting job in 1980. Ruben is a health and physical education major. Born in Baytown, Texas, Alvin attended Robert E. Lee HS in Baytown, where he was a two-time All-Greater Houston defensive end, also earning second team All-State honors as a senior. Ruben also was All-State in baseball as a senior. As a prepster he earned three letters in football and three more in baseball as a first baseman.

RICHARD KEITH (Keith) UECKER G Auburn**6-5, 260 DOB: June 20, 1960
Draft Choice #9**

A four-year letterman who earned All-SEC honors at Auburn in 1981, Keith Uecker played in the Blue-Gray, East-West, and Senior Bowl games after his senior season. Considered one of Auburn's best blocking linemen in school history, Uecker was a four-year starter who was named the team's outstanding lineman in 1980. He moved from tackle to guard for the 1981 campaign. Born in Hollywood, Fla., he graduated from Hollywood Hills (Fla.) HS, where he lettered three times each in football, baseball, and wrestling. Uecker is a relative of former Denver Bears and major league catcher Bob Uecker. Keith lists hunting, fishing, diving, and four wheeling as his hobbies.

GERALD WILLIAM WILLHITE RB San Jose State**5-10, 200 DOB: May 30, 1959
Draft Choice #1**

An explosive, elusive runner who was the leading ball carrier in San Jose State history, Gerald Willhite rushed for 2,364 yards on 530 carries in two seasons at State, also catching 107 passes for 927 yards and an 8.7 average. He had two consecutive seasons with more than 1,000 yards rushing and more than 50 receptions (1,210 yards and 55 receptions in 1980, 1,154 yards and 52 catches as a senior), one of only two players ever to accomplish that feat. In 1981 Willhite made honorable mention All-America according to AP, The Sporting News, and The Football News, also earning first team All-Pacific Coast Athletic Association. He capped his college play with appearances in the East-West Shrine Game and the Olympia Gold Bowl. Willhite had 12 100-yard games in two years, and as a senior caught 18 passes for 124 yards in the California Bowl. He played with a hip pointer against California but still managed 10 receptions for 132 yards, scoring on three successive passes. He had his longest career run against Fresno State, a 74-yard touchdown jaunt. He scored 28 career TDs in just two seasons. As a junior Willhite was the only player nationally ranked in rushing (14th), pass receiving (9th), scoring (10th), and all-purpose running (6th), being named as the PCAA's offensive player of the year in 1980. He also was first team All-PCAA and honorable mention All-America (AP, The Sporting News) that year. He did not play organized football until his freshman year at

American River JC in Sacramento, Calif. In his two seasons there he rushed for over 1,400 yards and caught over 60 passes for 1,350 yards. He was named his team's MVP each year in his college career, also lettering four times in track as a sprinter. He was a recreation major at San Jose State. Born in Sacramento, Gerald graduated from Cordova HS in Rancho Cordova, Calif., where he lettered in track and wrestling. His brother Kevin, Parade Magazine's high school football player of the year in 1981, is entering Oregon State this September. Gerald's hobbies include fishing and horseback riding.

SAMMY WINDER RB Southern Mississippi**5-11, 203 DOB: July 15, 1959
Draft Choice #5**

An extremely productive player as the starting tailback at the University of Southern Mississippi, Sammy Winder holds the school career record for rushing attempts (736), rushing touchdowns (39), total touchdowns (39), and points (234). The second all-time leading Southern Mississippi rusher, he gained 3,114 yards there and led the nation in scoring in 1980 with 20 TDs for 120 points. Winder, a two-time All-South Independent selection and honorable mention All-America, had nine 100-yard games in his career and had a personal high of 175 rushing yards against Memphis State in 1981. As a junior he gained 996 yards on 237 attempts (a 4.2 average), then increased his totals to 1,029 yards on 228 carries (a 4.5 average) as a senior, scoring 12 TDs. Winder earned four college letters. Born in Madison, Miss., Sammy graduated from Ridgeland HS in Madison, where he lettered three times as a fullback and four times in track and field. He lists hunting and fishing as his hobbies.

KENNETH EMIL (Ken) WOODARD LB Tuskegee Institute**6-1, 218 DOB: Jan. 22, 1960
Draft Choice #10**

A four-year letter winner at Tuskegee Institute in Tuskegee, Ala., Ken Woodard was team captain and posted 93 tackles as a senior. He also recorded 10 quarterback sacks, intercepted three passes, and recovered two fumbles in a banner 1981 campaign. Woodard made All-Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference three times, won a berth on the Sheridan Black Network small college All-America team,

and played in both the Blue-Gray and Black College All-Star games as a senior. An outside linebacker, Woodard has been timed at 4.6 seconds in the 40-yard dash. Born in Detroit, Mich., he is a graduate of Detroit's Martin Luther King HS, where he earned seven letters, three each in football and swimming and one in track (440 and 880-yard relays). Ken lists swimming as his hobby.

STUART ANDREW (Stu) YATSKO G Oregon

6-4, 250 DOB: March 30, 1959



A four-year letterman at guard and tackle at the University of Oregon, Stu Yatsko was drafted as a guard by the Broncos. Yatsko has received his degree in geography from Oregon and is studying for a master's in urban and regional planning. Born in Great Falls, Mont., he graduated from Jesuit HS in Portland, Ore., where he won nine prep letters (two each in football, basketball, and baseball, and three in track) and played football with Stan Brock (New Orleans Saints) and Pete Brock (New England Patriots), both of whom attended the University of Colorado. Stu is married (Kelly Anne) and lists golf, motorcycles, and playing the drums as his hobbies.

BRONCOS 1982 DRAFT

Round	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	School
1	Gerald Willhite	RB	5-10	200	San Jose State
2	Orlando McDaniel	WR	6-0	180	Louisiana State
3	Traded to Los Angeles for RB Lawrence McCutcheon				
4	Dan Plater	WR	6-1	182	Brigham Young
5	Sammy Winder	RB	5-11	203	Southern Mississippi
6	Traded to Cleveland for LB Robert L. Jackson				
7	Alvin Ruben	DE	6-4	245	Houston
8	Traded to Buffalo for WR Wade Manning				
9	Keith Uecker	G	6-5	260	Auburn
10	Ken Woodard	LB	6-1	218	Tuskegee Institute
11	Stu Yatsko	G	6-4	250	Oregon
12	Brian Clark	G	6-6	260	Clemson

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(1) after the player's name indicates player has been in a previous training camp.

DONALD LEVERETTE (Chuck) ALLEN (1) DL South Carolina

6-3, 265 DOB: May 27, 1959

Chuck Allen earned All-South honors and made AP honorable mention All-America while at South Carolina (1977-80), graduating with a degree in political science. He closed out his college career with an appearance in the Blue-Gray Game, and was in the Washington Redskins camp last year. Born in Anderson, S.C., he graduated from T.L. Hanna HS in Anderson, where he competed in football, basketball, and track, winning eight prep letters. Chuck and his wife, Sharon, have a son, Joshua (8/20/81).

KENNETH OWEN (Ken) ARMBRUST OL Arkansas State

6-5, 260 DOB: Dec. 23, 1958

An All-Southland Conference selection and four-year letterman as a guard at Arkansas State, Ken Armbrust started his college career as a defensive tackle in 1977 before switching to offense the following year. Armbrust graduated from Little Rock Catholic HS in his hometown of Little Rock, Ark., where he earned three letters in football and four more in basketball. Ken was a business management major and likes golf, water skiing, basketball, tennis, and racquetball. Armbrust was a 1982 draft eligible player.

DAVID PAUL BARBOUR TE Hawaii

6-4, 215 DOB: Jan. 27, 1959

David Barbour was a four-year letterman and special teams captain at the University of Hawaii, where he played from 1977-81, redshirting in 1979. A native of San Luis Obispo, Calif., Barbour played tackle, linebacker, and tight end at Fremont HS in Sunnyvale, Calif. He earned four letters in swimming and one in football as a prepster. David works in the ministry of the gospel during the off-season, and he enjoys all water sports. He was a 1982 draft eligible player, and majored in recreation at Hawaii.

WILLIAM CHARLES (Willie) BEEBE RB Colorado

6-0, 206 DOB: Jan. 1, 1960

Willie Beebe signed with Denver in June after concluding a four-letter career that began in 1978 at the University of Colorado. Beebe began as a "walkon" at CU but became the starting fullback and rushed for a career total of 967 yards on 229 attempts, scoring eight touchdowns. He caught 47 passes for 358 yards and two TDs. Beebe's best rushing day for the Buffaloes was against Drake in 1979, when he gained 89 yards on 14 carries. He was born in Eureka, Calif., and graduated from St. Bernard's HS in Eureka. Willie is single and resides in Boulder.

EDDIE CARROLL (Ed) BLACKBURN TE Wayne State College

6-5, 217 DOB: Nov. 10, 1959

An NAIA All-America in both football and track at Wayne State

College in Wayne, Neb., Ed Blackburn was a versatile athlete on both the college and high school levels. At Wayne State Blackburn lettered four times at tight end and made all-conference and all-district, in addition to second team NAIA All-America, and he won four letters and twice was NAIA All-America as a hurdler on the track team. Born in Greenfield, Iowa, Blackburn won 14 letters (four each in football and track, three each in basketball and baseball) at Mulvern Community HS in Mulvern, Iowa. An industrial arts education major at Wayne State, Ed's hobbies include woodworking, music, and motors. Blackburn was a 1982 draft eligible player.

ALAN CURTIS BLANSHAN (1) T Minnesota

6-5, 270 DOB: Nov. 3, 1957

Alan Blanshan was in the Philadelphia Eagles training camp in 1980 and in the New York Jets camp in 1981, following a three-letter career as a defensive lineman at the University of Minnesota. A business administration graduate of Minnesota, Blanshan was born in Mankato, Minn., and attended Mankato East HS, where he lettered three times each in football, baseball, and basketball. Alan is married (Erin), and his hobbies include bowhunting and fishing.

**SCOTT ALLEN BOUCHER OL
Northeast Louisiana**

6-3, 250 DOB: Sept. 15, 1958

A first-team All-Louisiana tackle while at Northeast Louisiana, Scott Boucher began his college play at Blinn JC in Brenham, Texas (1978-79) before transferring to the Monroe, La., school for the 1980-81 seasons. Boucher earned four letters in college and graduated with a degree in general studies. He was born in Houston, Texas and graduated from Aldine Eisenhower HS in Houston, where he won nine letters (four in football, three in basketball, and two in baseball). Boucher was a 1982 draft eligible player, and his hobby is weightlifting.

MARK LEE BRADY S Brigham Young

6-0, 185 DOB: March 26, 1959

Mark Brady was a starting safety who was named All-Western Athletic Conference and earned honorable mention All-America mention in winning three letters at Brigham Young, where he played in four consecutive Holiday Bowl games. He was strictly a strong safety at BYU, as he was at Oak Ridge HS in his hometown of Oak Ridge, Tenn. Brady lettered twice in football as a prepster. A 1982 draft eligible player, Mark majored in commercial physical education at BYU. He and his twin brother Steve, who also played at BYU, are the first twins ever to sign with the Broncos. Mark and his wife Karin have a son, James (3/8/82). Brady likes all outdoor activities and works in a health spa during the off-season.

**STEVEN K. (Steve) BRADY DB
Brigham Young**

6-0, 185 DOB: March 26, 1959

Steve Brady earned second team All-Western Athletic Conference honors as the starting free safety at Brigham Young, where he won two letters while majoring in commercial physical education. Steve was the starting free safety for the same clubs on which his twin brother Mark was the strong safety, both at BYU and before that at Oak Ridge HS in their hometown of Oak Ridge, Tenn. He lettered twice in high school. Steve was a 1982 draft eligible player.

**THOMAS EUGENE (Tom) BRANNON G
Florida State**

6-3, 245 DOB: May 22, 1959

A three-year starter as an offensive tackle at Florida State, Tom Brannon played for the Seminoles from 1977-81, including a redshirt season of 1978. He graduated in April with a degree in criminology. Brannon was born in Newnan, Ga., and attended Riverview Academy in Albany, Ga., where he won four letters each in football and track. A 1982 draft eligible, Tom is married (Cindy Lou) and enjoys camping, fishing, and snow skiing.

ANDY JEROME BRESOLIN G Washington

6-2, 260 DOB: Dec. 18, 1959

Andy Bresolin played in the 1981 and 1982 Rose Bowl games as a guard for the University of Washington Huskies, winning two letters at Washington after transferring from Contra Costa JC. Bresolin was born in Berkeley, Calif., and graduated from Salesian HS in Richmond, Calif., where he earned four letters each in football and track. A 1982 draft eligible player, Andy's hobbies include cooking, hiking, camping, and all outdoor sports.

KELBY WILLIAM BROWN C/G Northwestern

6-4, 257 DOB: July 27, 1960

A three-letter winner as a guard at Northwestern, Kelby Brown graduated in June with a degree in economics. Brown also had some playing time at defensive tackle for the Wildcats. Born in Montpelier, Ohio, Kelby earned three football letters and two each in basketball and track at Montpelier HS. Brown was eligible for the 1982 draft, and his hobbies include weightlifting, canoe racing, and cars.

BRUCE BYROM (1) C/G Maryland

6-4, 250 DOB: June 21, 1959

A veteran of three postseason games as a center at the University of Maryland, Bruce Byrom was in the Cleveland Browns training camp last year. Byrom earned four letters for the Terrapins and played in the Hall of Fame Bowl (1977), the Sun Bowl (1978), and the Tangerine Bowl (1980) while majoring in general studies. Byrom graduated from Sto-Rox HS in his native McKees Rocks, Pa., where he participated in football and track. Bruce is married (Cynthia) and enjoys all sports.

TERRY ALLEN CLARK TE Furman

6-4, 235 DOB: May 27, 1960

Terry Clark earned three letters as a tight end at Furman University in Greenville, S.C., playing from 1978-81 and graduating in June with a degree in history. Clark was born in Atlanta, Ga., and attended Southwest DeKalb HS in nearby Decatur, where he played quarterback, tight end, and the defensive backfield. He lettered twice each in football and baseball. Clark was a 1982 draft eligible player.

**ANDREW LEE (Drew) COLEMAN LB
Vanderbilt**

6-2, 226 DOB: Jan. 30, 1960

Drew Coleman played both linebacker and nose guard for Vanderbilt from 1978-81, but he is projected strictly as a linebacker by the Broncos. Coleman lettered four times and

earned both All-Southeastern Conference and honorable mention All-America mention while in college. He graduated in May with a degree in political science and sociology. He lettered three times each in football and track at Humboldt HS in his native Humboldt, Tenn. Drew was a 1982 draft eligible player, and his hobbies are woodworking, coin collecting, and photography.

DARREN COMEAUX LB Arizona State

6-1, 227 DOB: April 15, 1960

Darren Comeaux played at Arizona State in 1980-81 after transferring from San Diego Mesa JC, where he played the 1978-79 seasons. Comeaux earned two letters as an outside linebacker for the ASU Sun Devils. He was a business administration major. Born in San Diego, Calif., he lettered twice each in football, basketball, and track at San Diego HS. Comeaux was a 1982 draft eligible player.

JERRY LEN COMPTON (1) WR East Central Oklahoma State

6-0, 185 DOB: May 31, 1958

The national NAIA punt return leader at East Central Oklahoma State in 1979, Jerry Compton earned four letters and made All-Oklahoma Conference as a wide receiver from 1977-80, in addition to earning four letters as a sprinter on the track team. A native of Shawnee, Okla., Compton won four letters each in football and track at Shawnee HS. Last year he had a brief tryout with the Calgary Stampeders and played in three games with the Toronto Argonauts of the Canadian Football League. Compton has a degree in business education and he works as an account executive for a petroleum firm in the off-season. Jerry and his wife, Lisa Beth, have a son, Jarrod Len (6/26/80), and a daughter, Jillian Rae (4/14/82).

RICKY JEROME COTTON WR Alabama State

6-1, 182 DOB: June 28, 1957

Despite not having participated in high school sports, Ricky Cotton twice was named All-State small college and earned four letters as a wide receiver at Alabama State University in Montgomery. He also was named All-District while at Alabama State. A Montgomery native, Cotton attended Robert E. Lee HS in his hometown before going on to State, where he majored in art and recreation. Cotton was eligible for the 1982 draft, and he lists painting and sculpting as his hobbies. Ricky has a daughter, Sherelle Monique.

JARVIS EUDIETH COURSEY LB Florida State

6-4, 225 DOB: Nov. 1, 1959

Jarvis Coursey will be making the transition from defensive end, which he played from 1978-81 at Florida State, to the outside linebacker position with the Broncos. Coursey earned three letters and was named both All-South and third team All-America, majoring in criminology. A native of Macon, Ga., Coursey graduated from Jonesco Academy in Gray, Ga. As a prepster he won nine letters, two in football, three in basketball, and four in track. Jarvis was a 1982 draft eligible player, and he lists hunting and fishing as his hobbies.

MICHAEL MCKINLEY (Mike) DAVIS S Wyoming

6-0, 205 DOB: Dec. 18, 1959

Mike Davis started for two years (1980-81) at Wyoming after transferring from Cerritos JC. Davis played strong safety and participated on all special teams for the Cowboys, blocking two punts in his Wyoming career. He earned two letters and majored in finance. Born in Bluefield, W.V., Davis graduated from Norwalk (Calif.) HS, where his versatility earned him 11 letters, three each in football, basketball, and baseball, and two in track. Mike is married (Colleen), and he works as a ranch cowboy in the off-season. He lists flying and all outdoor activities as his leisure interests. He was a 1982 draft eligible player.

MICHAEL JOHN (Mike) DELEGATO C Oregon

6-4, 260 DOB: April 9, 1959

A four-letter winner at the University of Oregon, Mike Delegato was named honorable mention All-Pac 10 and honorable mention All-Coast in both his junior and senior seasons. He was selected to play in the Senior Bowl, but could not compete because of an injury. Delegato was a finance major at Oregon. He graduated from Central Catholic HS in his native Portland, lettering twice each in football, basketball, and track. Mike was eligible for the 1982 draft. He is married (Debbie), and enjoys basketball and golf.

MARSHALL ALAN (Alan) DUNCAN (1) K Tennessee

5-11, 190 DOB: Nov. 13, 1958

A seventh round draft choice of the Philadelphia Eagles in 1981, Alan Duncan will enter his second pro camp this year. He was at the University of Tennessee from 1976-80, including a redshirt season of 1977. Duncan won three letters at the Knoxville school and played in the 1979 Bluebonnet Bowl. He graduated from Tennessee with a degree in agriculture. Duncan was born in Carthage, Texas, and attended Rift Valley Academy in Kijabe, Kenya. He did not play high school football, but lettered four times in soccer and rugby and three times in basketball. Alan is married (Andrea), and works as a minister in the off-season. His interests include jogging, racquetball, and Christian music.

MATT PITA ELIASARA NT Washington State

6-3, 250 DOB: Sept. 25, 1959

Matt Eliasara earned numerous honors in three seasons at Washington State (1979-81), after transferring from Northwest Missouri State, where he played in 1977. Eliasara made first team All-Pac 10, second team All-West Coast, and AP honorable mention All-America at Washington State, earning three letters as a defensive tackle and nose tackle in the Cougar defense. He played in the 1981 Holiday Bowl against BYU. Eliasara majored in bacteriology at Washington State. A native of American Samoa, Matt graduated from Leone (American Samoa) HS, where he lettered three times at his defensive tackle position. Matt is related to Manu Tuasosopo of the Seattle Seahawks, Jack Thompson and Samoa Samoa of the Cincinnati Bengals, and Frank Manumaleuga of the Kansas City Chiefs. Eliasara was eligible for the 1982 draft.

TERRY WAYNE ELSTON (1) WR Houston**6-4, 208 DOB: June 5, 1958**

A quarterback throughout his high school and college career, Terry Elston will be a wide receiver candidate for the Denver Broncos. He was in the Dallas Cowboys training camp as a wide receiver and tight end in 1981. Elston quarterbacked the University of Houston from 1976-80 (he was a redshirt in 1977), earning team MVP honors in 1979 and 1980, in addition to being named Cotton Bowl MVP in 1980. Elston was born in Oxford, Ala., and graduated from Munford (Ala.) HS, where he earned three letters as a quarterback in football, along with two in basketball and one in baseball. Terry majored in business technology at Houston and does public relations work for the university in the off-season. His hobbies include music, action movies, and going to the beach.

ERIC LaRUE FERGUSON LB Southern Methodist**6-2, 238 DOB: Aug. 17, 1960**

Eric Ferguson lettered four times at linebacker and defensive end for Southern Methodist University, earning All-Southwest Athletic Conference honors as well. He won three prep letters as a linebacker at Kashmere HS in his native Houston, Texas. Ferguson majored in marketing at SMU. A 1982 draft eligible, his hobbies include hunting and fishing.

JOE J. FERRARO NT Boston College**6-4, 250 DOB: May 23, 1960**

Joe Ferraro played nose tackle at Boston College from 1978-81, lettering each season and earning All-East and All-New England honors. He graduated this spring with a degree in sociology. Ferraro was born in New Haven, Conn., and attended Xavier HS in nearby Middletown, where he lettered four times each in football and track. Joe was eligible for this year's draft.

CARL ANTHONY FOSTER WR New Mexico**6-2, 202 DOB: Feb. 28, 1960**

A four-letter winner as a wide receiver at the University of New Mexico, Carl Foster signed a contract with the Broncos after the team's May mini-camp for first year players. A native of Los Angeles, Calif., Foster attended Phineas Banning HS in Wilmington, Calif., where he lettered twice in football and once in track. He majored in speech communication at New Mexico, and was eligible for the 1982 draft.

RICHARD BRIGIDO (Rich) GARZA, JR. (1) G Temple**6-1, 260 DOB: March 27, 1958**

Rich Garza had a free agent tryout with the Philadelphia Eagles in 1981, after a four-letter career at Temple University in Philadelphia from 1977-80. Garza had an outstanding prep career at Liberty HS in his hometown of Bethlehem, Pa., earning three letters each in football and track, four in baseball, and one in basketball. He majored in community relations at Temple.

EDDIE LEE GEATHERS (1) DB Clemson**6-1, 182 DOB: Dec. 9, 1958**

After a tryout with the Baltimore Colts in 1981, Eddie Geathers comes into his second professional camp this year. A four-letter

man at Clemson, Geathers was a member of the 1978 Atlantic Coast Conference championship team and played in both the 1977 and 1978 Gator Bowl games, as well as in the 1979 Peach Bowl. He was a quarterback at Myrtle Beach HS in his native Myrtle Beach, S.C., winning four letters in football as well as two each in basketball and track. Eddie majored in industrial education and enjoys fishing, boating, and basketball.

GREGORY THOMAS (Greg) GERKEN (1) LB Northern Arizona**6-5, 228 DOB: April 30, 1959**

A Denver native and graduate of Denver's Regis HS, Greg Gerken was the tenth round choice of the Baltimore Colts in 1981 but was released during training camp. Gerken won four letters at linebacker and was on The Sporting News' All-America team while at Northern Arizona. He played on the club which won the Big Sky Conference title in 1979 and participated in NCAA playoff games in 1978 and 1979. Gerken graduated with a degree in industrial management. While at Regis HS Greg lettered three times in football and basketball and four times in track. He continues to make Denver his home, and lists fishing, hiking, hunting, and water skiing as his hobbies.

PAUL CHRISTIAN GILBOW T Arkansas State**6-4, 260 DOB: Oct. 30, 1958**

Paul Gilbow earned four letters as an offensive tackle and guard at Arkansas State University from 1977-81 (he was a redshirt in 1977), and was eligible for the 1982 draft. Born in Siheston, Mo., Gilbow graduated from Siheston Senior HS, where he lettered three times in football and four times in basketball. Paul was a history major at Arkansas State.

STEVEN J. (Steve) GORTZ (1) P Nevada-Las Vegas**6-2, 205 DOB: May 23, 1956**

Steve Gortz will make his second attempt at becoming Denver's punter in 1982, as he had a free agent tryout with the Broncos in the club's 1980 training camp. Gortz, who punted at Nevada-Las Vegas from 1976-78 and was named the club's special teams player of the year as a senior, was in camp with the Minnesota Vikings in 1979 and with the Buffalo Bills last year. He transferred to Nevada-Las Vegas from Saddleback JC, where he played in 1975. Gortz has a degree in personnel management and works in the business management field during the off-season. Born in Inglewood, Calif., he graduated from Foothill HS in Tustin, Calif., where he lettered four times as a punter and wide receiver, also earning three letters in baseball and one in track. Steve is married (Alison), and his hobbies include reading and racquetball.

RONALD COREY HALE (1) T Vanderbilt**6-6, 300 DOB: Dec. 20, 1957**

A three-year letterman at tackle for Vanderbilt from 1976-79 (he was a redshirt in 1977), Ronald Hale went to camp with the Cincinnati Bengals in 1980 and with the Kansas City Chiefs last year. A native of Nashville, Tenn., he graduated from Maplewood HS in his hometown, where he won three letters each in football and track and two in basketball. Hale has a degree in education and works in the sporting goods business during the off-season. Ronald's hobby is fishing.

THOMAS RICHARD ZACHARIAH (Tom)**HALL LB****Stanford****6-4, 215 DOB: March 22, 1959**

After winning four letters as a linebacker at Stanford from 1977-81, redshirting in 1979, Tom Hall will make a bid for the Bronco roster in 1982. He has graduated from Stanford with a degree in economics. Hall was born in Newport News, Va., and graduated from Newport News HS, where he lettered three times in football and twice in basketball. Tom was eligible for the 1982 draft, and lists surfing, reading, and skiing as his hobbies.

LARRY WAYNE HARRIS (1) WR**Stanford****6-2, 195 DOB: May 8, 1959**

Larry Harris comes into his second pro camp in 1982, after having had a free agent tryout with the Oakland Raiders last year. Harris competed in football, track, and basketball at Stanford from 1977-80, winning four letters as a wide receiver, three as a sprinter on the track team, and one as a guard in basketball. He majored in communications at Stanford. A native of Kansas City, Ks., he graduated from Kansas City's Sumner HS, where he lettered three times each in football, basketball, and track. Larry's hobbies include automobiles and collecting model cars. He has a son, Wayne (4/26/80).

STEPHEN (Steve) HARRIS DB North Alabama**6-2, 200 DOB: Aug. 6, 1958**

Steve Harris concluded his college career at the University of North Alabama in Florence last year. He played both defensive back and wide receiver at North Alabama after transferring from Tennessee State, where he spent two seasons as a wide receiver and tight end. Harris earned three college letters and majored in physical education. An Alabama native, he was born in Jasper and graduated from Cordova HS in Cordova, Ala., where he earned three letters in basketball, two in baseball, and one in football. Steve was a 1982 draft eligible player, and he enjoys swimming, basketball, and baseball.

CHRISTOPHER WAYNE (Chris) HOBBS RB**Miami (Fla.)****5-10, 191 DOB: June 27, 1960**

A four-letter winner who closed out his career as the seventh leading rusher in University of Miami (Fla.) history, Chris Hobbs also earned one letter as a sprinter for the Hurricane track team and received his degree in business administration earlier this year. He played at Miami from 1977-81, including a redshirt season in 1978, and was eligible for this year's draft. Hobbs was born in Tallahassee, Fla., and graduated from Amos P. Godby HS in his hometown, earning three letters in football and two in track. Chris enjoys writing, music, and movies in his leisure time.

MAX DALE HOOPER T**San Jose State****6-4, 265 DOB: May 18, 1959**

A teammate of number one draft choice Gerald Willhite at San Jose State, Max Hooper earned four letters during his Spartan career and was named team captain in 1981. Hooper was at San Jose State from 1977-81, redshirting in 1977, and his honors included being named top redshirt in 1977, outstanding freshman in 1978, and outstanding senior lineman last year. Hooper earned All-PCAA honors and twice was named honorable mention All-America. Max was born in Eureka, Calif., and graduated from

Eureka HS, where he lettered 11 times, including four each in football and wrestling, two in track, and one in baseball. Max was eligible for the 1982 draft and graduated this year with a degree in business marketing.

JONATHAN MICAH (Jon) HOOTS RB**Guilford College****5-11, 195 DOB: Dec. 16, 1959**

Jon Hoots was offered a Denver contract on the basis of his performance in the Broncos' free agent tryout camp in May. Hoots played at Guilford College in Guilford, N.C. from 1978-81, where he was both a defensive back and tailback for the Quakers. He is projected as a running back by the Broncos. Born in Yadkinville, N.C., Hoots graduated from Forbush HS in Yadkin County, N.C. Jon is married (Jennifer), and was a 1982 draft eligible player.

ROGER JACKSON DB Bethune-Cookman**6-0, 186 DOB: Feb. 28, 1959**

Roger Jackson earned four letters and made All-SIAC as a defensive back at Bethune-Cookman College in Daytona Beach, Fla. Roger also returned punts for the Wildcats, and was a 1982 draft eligible player. Jackson was team captain in football and also competed in track as a long jumper, winning two letters. Born in Macon, Ga., he graduated from Macon's Central HS, where he lettered three times each in football and track and once in basketball. Roger graduated from Bethune-Cookman with a degree in physical education, and his hobbies include drag racing and horseback riding. He has a daughter, Andrika (10/21/77).

ARRINGTON JONES III (1) RB**Winston-Salem State****6-1, 225 DOB: Feb. 16, 1959**

Arrington Jones was the fifth round draft choice of the San Francisco 49ers in 1981 and played in one game for the 49ers before being released. Jones was used at North Carolina's Winston-Salem State University mostly as a blocking back and receiver, but he ran with the ball enough to gain 709 yards in his senior season and 2,668 in his career. He also caught 49 passes for 637 yards in his four seasons (1977-80). Jones played in the Blue-Gray Game to close out his college career. Jones attended John Marshall HS in his native Richmond, Va.

RICHARD JOHN (Rick) KARLIS (1) K**Cincinnati****6-0, 180 DOB: May 23, 1959**

Rick Karlis earned a Denver contract on the basis of his performance in the team's free agent tryout camp in May, after having gone to camp with the Houston Oilers in 1981. Karlis is a soccer-style, barefoot kicker who earned three letters at the University of Cincinnati. Primarily a kickoff specialist as a sophomore and junior, he led the Bearcats in scoring as a senior with 41 points, including 12 extra points and 10 of 15 field goal attempts. His 10 field goals included six from beyond the 40-yard line, one of which was a 50-yarder. Rick is a graduate of Salem HS in his native Salem, Ohio. He is a graduate of Cincinnati and makes his home in Salem.

ELVIN WINRICK KELLER NT**West Texas State****6-2, 255 DOB: Nov. 8, 1959**

A 1982 draft eligible player who signed with the Broncos after a fine career at West Texas State, Elvin Keller will bid to make the Denver club at the nose tackle position which he played for the past four seasons. Keller earned four letters from 1978-81 and received both All-Missouri Valley Conference and All-America mention. He majored in physical education at West Texas State. Born in Port Arthur, Texas, Keller graduated from Lincoln HS in his hometown, where he lettered twice each in football and track. Elvin has a daughter, Sheresse (2/6/77), and his interests include racquetball, jogging, bowling, swimming, music, and going to the beach.

TIMOTHY JOHN (Tim) KOEGEL QB**Notre Dame****6-4, 205 DOB: Oct. 28, 1958**

Tim Koegel earned two letters at quarterback for Notre Dame and played on the 1977 national championship squad. Koegel quarterbacked the Fighting Irish in the 1978 and Cotton Bowl game and in the 1980 Sugar Bowl. He has graduated with a degree in American studies (pre-law), and intends to go on to law school at Notre Dame. Koegel is a native of Cincinnati, Ohio, and graduated from Cincinnati's Moeller HS, where he played for current Notre Dame head coach Gerry Faust. Tim earned three letters as a quarterback at Moeller and also lettered three times in basketball and twice in baseball. His brother Vic played linebacker at Ohio State and for one year (1974) with the Cincinnati Bengals. Tim was at Notre Dame from 1977-81, but redshirted in 1980. A 1982 draft eligible player, Koegel's interests include music and all sports.

BART J. KROUT TE**Alabama****6-3, 235 DOB: Oct. 20, 1959**

A four-time letterman who earned All-Southeastern Conference honors as a tight end at Alabama, Bart KROUT concluded his college play with an appearance in the East-West Shrine Game. KROUT was a 1982 draft eligible player whose Alabama career spanned 1978-81. He graduated from W.A. Berry HS in his native Birmingham, Ala., where KROUT lettered three times each in football and basketball. Bart majored in business communications, and he likes fishing and other outdoor activities.

WILLIAM EARL (Bill) LANE, JR. OL**South Carolina****6-2, 250 DOB: Feb. 5, 1957**

Bill Lane played guard and tackle on the University of South Carolina's offensive line from 1976-79, earning four letters and participating in the Hall of Fame Bowl with the Gamecocks in 1979. Lane graduated with a degree in health education. Born in Mt. Pleasant, Pa., he attended Mt. Pleasant HS, earning three letters each in football and track. Bill's hobbies are hunting and fishing.

RICKY DOUGLASS (Rick) LINDBLAD RB**Puget Sound****5-9, 226 DOB: June 6, 1959**

Rick Lindblad concluded his college play at the University of

Puget Sound in Tacoma, Wa., after beginning his career at Idaho State. Lindblad played at Idaho State in 1978-79 and at Puget Sound in 1980-81, lettering four times and being named team captain. A native of Washington state, Lindblad was born in Everett and went to Issaquah HS in Issaquah, where he was a high school All-America wrestler in addition to lettering three times each in football and track. Rick was eligible for the 1982 draft and lists fishing, reading, and weightlifting as his hobbies.

ROBERT WILLIAM (Bob) LISOWSKI (1) TE**St. Bonaventure****6-3, 235 DOB: Aug. 21, 1958**

Bob Lisowski was awarded to the Denver Broncos via the NFL's procedural recall waiver system from the Cleveland Browns, with whom he spent training camp in 1981. Lisowski's background is unusual in that he attended a college that does not play football (St. Bonaventure), but he lettered twice each in basketball and baseball and once in track. Lisowski graduated with a degree in marketing. He played semi-pro football with the Buffalo club of the Mid-Atlantic League in 1980, making all-league and finishing second in receptions among all receivers. Born in Buffalo, N.Y., Lisowski attended Canisius HS in his hometown, lettering four times in baseball and once each in football and track. His father pitched in the Boston Red Sox organization. Bob's hobbies are weightlifting, racquetball, fishing, and Bible study.

MERV MAILE LOPES WR**Hawaii****6-0, 175 DOB: Oct. 1, 1958**

A native of Honolulu, Hawaii, Merv Lopes began his college career at the College of the Sequoias from 1977-79, then transferred to the University of Hawaii for the 1980-81 seasons. Lopes earned four letters at wide receiver and was eligible for the 1982 draft. He graduated from Kalaheo HS in Kailua on the island of Oahu, where he won two letters each in football and basketball. Merv majored in animal science and lists rodeo, hunting, and all water sports as his favorite leisure activities. He is a relative of Rocky Frietas, who formerly played for the Detroit Lions.

NATHANIEL (Nate) LUNDY (1) WR Indiana**6-1, 175 DOB: Oct. 15, 1958**

A three-letter winner at Indiana, Nate Lundy was the 12th round draft choice of the Dallas Cowboys in 1981, but was released during training camp. One of Lundy's most memorable performances at Indiana came on Sept. 27, 1980 when he caught five passes for 256 yards and three touchdowns against Colorado in Boulder. He played in the 1979 Holiday Bowl and also took part in track for the Hoosiers. He played football from 1977-80, and graduated with a degree in recreation. Nate was born in Great Lakes, Ill., and attended North Chicago HS in North Chicago, where he lettered twice each in football and basketball and four times in track as a hurdler.

RONALD JOSEPH (Ron) MARSH G**Minot State****6-1, 245 DOB: Sept. 14, 1960**

An honorable mention All-America selection during a four-letter career at Minot State College from 1978-81, Ron Marsh played tackle and tight end on offense and defensive end and linebacker on defense for the North Dakota school. He also earned four track letters and won the conference discus championship, in addition to winning one wrestling letter. Born in Plentywood, Mont., Marsh

earned three letters in football, two in wrestling, and one in track at Plentywood HS. Ron was a 1982 draft eligible player who works as a rancher in the off-season, and lists hunting and the guitar as his hobbies.

JAMES J. (Jim) McANDREWS T Syracuse

6-5, 260 DOB: Jan. 28, 1959

Jim McAndrews earned three letters as an offensive tackle at Syracuse from 1978-81, playing in the 1979 Independence Bowl in Shreveport, La. McAndrews graduated earlier this year with a degree in business management. Jim was born in New York City and went to high school at Saratoga HS in Saratoga, N.Y., where he lettered three times in football, twice in track, and once in wrestling. McAndrews was a 1982 draft eligible player.

MARK WILLIAM McKAY G Washington State

6-3, 250 DOB: Feb. 15, 1959

Mark McKay received honorable mention All-Pac 10 and All-West Coast honors as the offensive co-captain of the Washington State University team, earning three letters as a Cougar guard from 1978-81. A 1982 draft eligible player, McKay ended his college career with an appearance in the 1981 Holiday Bowl against BYU, then graduated this June with a degree in agricultural economics. A native of Spokane, Wash., he went to LaCrosse HS in nearby LaCrosse, where he displayed his versatility by winning 10 letters, including three each in football, basketball, and track, along with one in baseball. Mark works on his father's wheat farm in the off-season, and enjoys fly-fishing, golf, and water skiing.

TROY K. McMILLIN G Illinois

6-3, 255 DOB: Jan. 19, 1959

Troy McMillin played in the Blue-Gray Game and Senior Bowl to close out a three-letter career at Illinois, where he played both guard and center from 1977-81, redshirting in 1980. McMillin graduated with a degree in finance earlier this year. Born in Iowa Falls, Iowa, Troy attended DeKalb (Ill.) HS, where he won three letters in football and two in track. He was a 1982 draft eligible player.

SERGE GEORGE MIHALY NT Yale

6-4, 250 DOB: March 30, 1960

Serge Mihaly made All-Ivy League, All-New England, and All-ECAC as a defensive tackle at Yale, where he earned two letters and a degree in history. He played at the New Haven school from 1978-81, starting in his final two seasons. He was born in New Haven and graduated from Trumbull HS in Trumbull, Conn., where he lettered three times as a defensive tackle. A 1982 draft eligible player, Serge's hobbies are hunting and fishing.

JAMES ALAN (Jim) MILLER C Louisville

6-3, 255 DOB: Nov. 30, 1959

An All-Metro selection at center while at the University of Louisville, Jim Miller earned four letters for the Cardinals from 1978-81 and was the school's offensive captain. He majored in business management at Louisville. A graduate of Moline HS in his native Moline, Ill., he earned four prep letters as a center and linebacker. Jim is a great-nephew of former Denver Broncos head coach Robert (Red) Miller. His hobbies are bike riding, hunting, fishing, and tennis.

KELLY DONALD MILLER S

Idaho

6-2, 190 DOB: Dec. 10, 1958

Kelly Miller played strong safety at the University of Idaho from 1979-81 after transferring from the Air Force Academy, where he played the 1977 season. Miller was a redshirt in 1978, but earned four letters and numerous other honors in his college career. He was the team captain at Idaho and was voted both the club's most inspirational player and outstanding defensive player, twice earning honorable mention All-Big Sky Conference honors. Miller was a cornerback at the Air Force Academy. He graduated earlier this year with a degree in business economics. Jim was born in Blythe, Calif., and graduated from William S. Hart HS in Newhall, Calif., where he lettered three times in football and four times in track. Kelly is married (Mari) and lists white water rafting, snow and water skiing, and hunting as his favorite leisure pastimes.

JOHN FRANCIS NOONAN (1) WR Nebraska

6-1, 192 DOB: Dec. 11, 1958

The ninth round draft choice of the Miami Dolphins in 1981, John Noonan was released during training camp by the Dolphins and signed with Denver shortly after the 1981 season ended. He played at Nebraska from 1978-80 and lettered once, having begun his college career at the University of Nebraska at Omaha in 1976. Noonan majored in criminal justice at the Big Eight school, graduating in 1981. He was born in St. Paul, Minn., and graduated from Omaha's Ryan HS, where he won two letters each in football and baseball. John likes to ski, bowl, and play golf.

**ROBERT KEITH (Bobby) OVERLY LB
San Jose State**

6-0, 220 DOB: July 9, 1959

Bobby Overly was an outstanding outside linebacker at San Jose State, earning All-PCAA honors there and winning three letters from 1979-81. He transferred to State from Snow JC, where he played both linebacker and defensive line in 1978. A college teammate of running back Gerald Willhite and tackle Max Hooper, Overly was a business management major at the San Jose school. Born in Ft. Worth, Texas, Bob went to Layton HS in Layton, Utah, where he lettered three times each in football and wrestling and once in track. Bobby's hobbies include snow skiing, weightlifting, and hiking.

SAM LEE PRATER LB North Alabama

6-2, 230 DOB: Aug. 24, 1959

An All-Gulf States Conference linebacker at the University of North Alabama, Sam Prater lettered twice (1980-81) after transferring from Tennessee, where he played in 1977-78. He was a redshirt in 1979 and was eligible for this year's draft. He played on a club that was an NCAA division II runnerup at North Alabama. A Memphis, Tenn., native, Prater graduated from Coffee HS in Florence, Ala., there winning three letters each in football and track. Sam likes basketball and water sports.

**JAMES KEITH (Keith) PRESSLEY DL
Texas-Arlington**

6-4, 260 DOB: June 9, 1960

Keith Pressley was a three-year letterman and All-Conference defensive tackle at the University of Texas at Arlington. He also played some at guard for the Mavericks from 1978-81. A native of

Mansfield, Texas, Pressley earned two letters in football and three in baseball at Mansfield HS. Keith works on a cattle farm in the off-season, and his hobbies include hunting, fishing, and softball.

CHARLES S. (Rick) PRICE T Oregon

6-6, 270 DOB: April 15, 1959

Rick Price played both offensive and defensive tackle at Oregon from 1977-81, lettering four times and sitting out 1978 as a redshirt. He graduated from Oregon this year with a degree in psychology. Born in Ft. Knox, Ken., Price graduated from Woodrow Wilson HS in Tacoma, Wash., where he lettered in football three times. Rick's hobbies include all sports and dabbling in mechanics.

JOHN FRANCIS QUINN QB Iowa State

6-0, 185 DOB: Feb. 10, 1959

Signed by the Broncos as a free agent immediately after the 1982 draft, John Quinn played quarterback at Iowa State University from 1977-81, sitting out the 1978 campaign as a redshirt. John was born in Whittier, Calif., and graduated from Dowling HS in Des Moines, Iowa, where he was a star prep quarterback. John received his degree from Iowa State earlier this year.

GUY EDWARD RAMSEY S Delaware

6-2, 185 DOB: July 22, 1958

An NFL rookie who concluded his college play at the University of Delaware in 1979, Guy Ramsey earned three letters as a defensive back for the Blue Hens and graduated with a degree in sociology in 1981. Ramsey also won seven letters in track at Delaware and was the East Coast high jump champion indoors for three years, as well as the ECAC outdoor champion for two seasons. He was born in Columbus, Ga., and is a graduate of Dover Air Force Base HS in Dover, Del., where he won 12 prep letters, four each in football, basketball, and track. Guy is a teacher in the off-season and lists music, reading, art, counseling, and coaching as his hobbies.

ALBERT ROBINSON (Al) RAY RB Rutgers

6-0, 190 DOB: March 22, 1960

Al Ray received honorable mention All-East honors and three letters as a tailback at Rutgers University, where he also was a two-time All-America selection as a lacrosse player for the Scarlet Knights. He played at Rutgers from 1978-81 and was eligible for this year's draft. Born in Centor Moriches, N.Y., Ray graduated from Copiague HS in Copiague, N.Y., where he earned four letters each in football and lacrosse. Al received his degree in education from Rutgers earlier this year, and lists swimming and tennis as his favorite recreational activities.

ADRIAN TERRANCE ROBERTSON NT Elon

6-4, 255 DOB: March 21, 1959

In a three-year career at Elon College in Elon, N.C., Adrian Robertson lettered three times and made both All-District and All-Conference as a tackle for the Fighting Christians. His career spanned 1978-81 (he was a redshirt in 1978) and Robertson played on national championship teams in each of the last two seasons. A Virginia native, he was born in Franklin and went to Forrest Glen HS in Suffolk, earning four letters in football. Adrian received his college degree in business administration this year. He is married (Kathy) and likes to play golf and ski.

NOBLE REXFORD (Rex) ROBINSON (1) K Georgia

5-11, 210 DOB: March 17, 1959

The sixth round draft choice of the Cincinnati Bengals in 1981, Rex Robinson had an outstanding career at Georgia from 1977-80. He was the leading scorer in both Georgia and Southeastern Conference history, making All-SEC three times and earning consensus All-America honors. A four-letter winner for the Bulldogs, Robinson is tied for second in the NCAA all-time field goal list with 56, and holds both the Georgia and SEC marks in that category. He missed his first extra point attempt in college, but connected on every one after that, and his streak of 101 extra points is the second longest streak in NCAA history (Uwe von Schamann set the record of 125 at Oklahoma). Robinson twice kicked 57-yard field goals at Georgia, and he hit on six of more than 50 yards during his career. In 1980 he kicked field goals of 57 and 51 yards in one game against South Carolina. He was born in Marietta, Ga., and was a three-sport athlete at Marietta HS, lettering twice in football, three times in baseball, and once in soccer. Rex was a business education major.

SCOTT M. SAX T Montana State

6-8, 260 DOB: June 17, 1959

Scott Sax earned three letters and was named academic All-District at Montana State, playing on the Big Sky Conference championship squad in 1979. His career spanned the 1977-81 seasons, including a redshirt campaign in 1978. He also lettered in basketball once at Montana State. Sax earned a degree in chemical engineering in 1982, and was eligible for this year's draft. A native of Missoula, Mont., he graduated from Sentinel HS in his hometown, where he lettered twice in football and once in basketball. Scott is married (Lauri), enjoys hunting, reading, and playing cards, and he plans to spend the off-season as a chemical engineering student at the University of Colorado.

DAVY W. SELLERS QB Southern Mississippi

6-3, 205 DOB: Dec. 28, 1958

Davy Sellers began his college career at the University of Mississippi in 1977, but the following year transferred to Southern Mississippi, where he was a teammate of Sammy Winder, Denver's fifth round draft choice. Sellers earned three college letters as a quarterback and was eligible for this year's draft. Sellers was born in Lucedale, Miss., and attended George County HS in Lucedale, where he had the distinction of winning 17 athletic letters and awards, including five each in basketball and baseball, four in football, and three in track. He was a quarterback throughout his high school career. Davy was an athletic administration major at Southern Mississippi and likes to play softball and water ski.

DANIEL JOSEPH (Dan) SKUTACK LB Auburn

6-2, 210 DOB: Aug. 13, 1959

A first team All-Southeastern Conference selection at linebacker, Dan Skutack also earned AP honorable mention All-America honors at Auburn, where he lettered four times from 1978-81. A redshirt in 1977, Skutack played in both the Blue-Gray and Senior Bowl games to close out his college career. A building science major, he was eligible for the 1982 draft. Dan was born in Dennison, Texas, and graduated from Opelika HS in Opelika, Ala., where he lettered three times in football, twice in baseball, and once in basketball. Dan's hobbies are hunting and fishing.

WILLIAM CANNON (Bill) SMITH, JR.**LB**
Clemson**6-4, 230 DOB: Sept. 28, 1959**

A member of the 1981 national championship team at Clemson, Bill Smith earned four letters as an outside linebacker and was a vital cog in the Tigers' Atlantic Coast Conference title-winning clubs in 1978 and 1981. He played in the Gator Bowl in 1977 and 1978, and in the Orange Bowl following the 1981 campaign. Smith played at Clemson from 1977-81, including a redshirt year in 1979, and graduated this year with a degree in administrative management. A native of Greer, S.C., Bill went to James F. Byrnes HS in Duncan, S.C., where he won 12 prep letters, four each in football and basketball, and two each in baseball and track. Bill enjoys hunting and golf.

MICHAEL LLOYD (Mike) SMITH (1)**P**
Wyoming**5-11, 195 DOB: Dec. 22, 1957**

Mike Smith was offered a Denver contract as a result of the Broncos' free agent tryout camp in May. He had a tryout with the Seattle Seahawks in 1980 after a successful career at Wyoming from 1976-79. Smith earned four letters for the Cowboys and was All-WAC in 1979, setting a school record with a 44.6-yard punting average that season. He also holds the Wyoming career record with a 42.6 average on 184 punts. Born in Bemidji, Minn., Mike is a graduate of Rawlins (Wyo.) HS. Mike is married (Kristi) and has two children, daughter Abbi Marie (2/13/80) and son Mike, Jr. (2/27/82).

STEVEN JAY (Steve) STAMP**QB**
Texas Christian**6-0, 200 DOB: Nov. 4, 1959**

An honorable mention All-America and four-year letterman at Texas Christian University, Steve Stamp played for the Horned Frogs from 1978-81 and was eligible for this year's draft. He concluded his college football career with an appearance in the Japan Bowl, and also won two letters in baseball as a pitcher at TCU. Stamp was born in Lincoln, Neb., and went to R. L. Turner HS in Carrollton, Texas, where he lettered three times each in football and baseball and twice in basketball. A kinesiological studies major at TCU, Steve lists golf, tennis, bowling, and softball as his recreational interests.

STAN MIZE STANTON**DL** **Newberry College****6-4, 270 DOB: May 7, 1960**

Stan Stanton won numerous small college honors during his four-year career at Newberry College in Newberry, S.C. from 1978-81. He lettered four times and earned All-America, All-Conference, and All-District honors, graduating this May with a degree in business administration. Stanton graduated from C. A. Johnson HS in his native Columbia, S.C., where he earned three prep letters in football and two each in basketball and baseball. Stan enjoys playing softball.

ROBERT ERIC (Bob) STEPHENSON**TE**
Indiana**6-3, 235 DOB: Sept. 20, 1959**

An AP honorable mention All-America selection as a tight end at Indiana, Bob Stephenson earned four letters from 1978-81 and

BRONCOS DEPTH CHART*1981 starters in CAPS. Rookies and first-year players in italics.***OFFENSE**

Wide Receivers—**STEVE WATSON**, **RICK UPCHURCH**, Wade Manning, Jimmy Robinson, *Orlando McDaniel (D2)*, *Dan Plater (D4)*, *Anthony Arnold*, *John Noonan*, *Nate Lundy*, *Terry Elston*, *Jerry Compton*, *Larry Harris*, *Merv Lopes*, *Carl Foster*, *Ricky Cotton*.

Tight Ends—**RILEY ODOMS**, Ron Eglolf, Jim Wright, *Clay Brown*, *David Barbour*, *Bob Lisowski*, *Bob Stephenson*, *Bart Krout*, *Ed Blackburn*, *Terry Clark*.

Tackles—**DAVE STUDDARD**, **CLAUDIE MINOR**, Kelvin Clark, Ken Lanier, *Bill Lane*, *Keith Uecker (D9)*, *Alan Blanshan*, *Steve Wilson*, *Rick Price*, *Max Hooper*, *Jim McAndrews*, *Paul Gilbow*, *David Stewart*, *Scott Sax*, *Ron Trusty*, *Ron Hale*.

Guards—**TOM GLASSIC**, **PAUL HOWARD**, Glenn Hyde, Keith Bishop, *Kelby Brown*, *Tom Brannon*, *Stu Yatsko (D11)*, *Brian Clark (D12)*, *Rich Garza*, *Andy Bresolin*, *Ron Marsh*, *Troy McMillin*, *Mark McKay*, *Scott Boucher*, *Ken Armbrust*.

Centers—**BILLY BRYAN**, *Matt Braswell*, *Tom Davis*, *Bruce Byrom*, *Jim Miller*, *Mike Delegato*.

Quarterbacks—**CRAIG MORTON**, *Steve DeBerg*, *Mark Herrmann*, *Tom Koegel*, *Steve Stamp*, *John Quinn*, *Davy Sellers*.

Running Backs (HB)—**DAVE PRESTON**, *Tony Reed*, *Rob Lytle*, *Gerald Willhite (D1)*, *Sammy Winder (D5)*, *Chris Hobbs*, *Jon Hoots*.

Running Backs (FB)—**RICK PARROS**, *Larry Canada*, *Nathan Poole*, *Arrington Jones*, *Rick Lindblad*, *Al Ray*, *Willie Beebe*.

DEFENSE

Ends—**BARNEY CHAVOUS**, **RULON JONES**, *Greg Boyd*, *Brisen Manor*, *Mack Mitchell*, *Alvin Ruben (D7)*, *Chuck Allen*, *Joe Ferraro*, *Adrian Robertson*, *Calvin Turner*, *Rod Walden*, *Keith Pressley*.

Tackles—**RUBIN CARTER**, *Don Latimer*, *Matt Eliasara*, *Elvin Keller*, *Serge Mihaly*, *Stan Stanton*, *Ryck Suydam*.

Outside Linebackers—**BOB SWENSON**, **TOM JACKSON**, *Jim Ryan*, *Greg Gerken*, *Ken Woodard (D10)*, *Jarvis Coursey*, *Darren Comeaux*, *Dan Skutack*, *Tom Hall*, *Bobby Overly*.

Inside Linebackers—**RANDY GRADISHAR**, **LARRY EVANS**, *Mark Merrill*, *Steve Busick*, *Robert L. Jackson*, *Drew Coleman*, *Kyle Whittingham*, *Bill Smith*, *Marcus Tarver*, *Eric Ferguson*, *Sam Prater*.

Cornerbacks—**LOUIS WRIGHT**, **AARON KYLE**, *Perry Smith*, *Steve Trimble*, *Roland Solomon*, *Roger Jackson*, *Steve Brady*, *Steve Harris*, *Emmuel Thompson*, *Anthony Thomas*, *Guy Ramsey*.

Safeties—**BILL THOMPSON**, **STEVE FOLEY**, *Mike Harden*, *Dennis Smith*, *Mike Davis*, *Emanuel Young*, *Mark Brady*, *Orlando Whitlock*, *Eddie Geathers*, *Kelly Miller*.

Kickers—**FRED STEINFORT**, *Skip Vernon*, *Rex Robinson*, *Alan Duncan*, *Rick Karlis*.

Punters—**LUKE PRESTRIDGE**, *Steve Gortz*, *Mike Smith*.

DENVER BRONCOS 1982 VETERAN ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Height	Weight	NFL Exp.	Birthdate	Birthplace	College	Residence	Games In '81
54	Bishop, Keith	C/G	6-3	260	2	3/10/57	San Diego, CA	Baylor	Englewood, CO	0
77	Boyd, Greg	DE	6-6	280	5	9/15/53	Merced, CA	San Diego St.	Englewood, CO	15
64	Bryan, Bill	C	6-2	258	6	6/21/55	Burlington, NC	Duke	Burlington, NC	14
58	Busick, Steve	LB	6-4	227	2	12/10/58	Los Angeles, CA	So. California	Aurora, CO	16
35	Canada, Larry	RB	6-2	226	4	12/16/54	Chicago, IL	Wisconsin	Aurora, CO	16
68	Carter, Rubin	NT	6-0	256	8	12/12/52	Pompano Beach, FL	Miami (Fla.)	Aurora, CO	16
79	Chavous, Barney	DE	6-3	258	10	3/22/51	Aiken, SC	So. Carolina St.	Aurora, CO	16
73	Clark, Kelvin	T	6-3	265	4	1/30/56	Oakland, CA	Nebraska	Englewood, CO	16
17	DeBerg, Steve	QB	6-3	205	6	1/19/54	Oakland, CA	San Jose St.	Englewood, CO	16
85	Egloff, Ron	TE	6-5	227	6	10/3/55	Plymouth, MI	Wisconsin	Englewood, CO	14
56	Evans, Larry	LB	6-2	220	7	7/11/53	Mountrose, MS	Mississippi Col.	Denver, CO	16
43	Foley, Steve	S	6-2	180	7	11/11/53	New Orleans, LA	Tulane	New Orleans, LA	16
62	Glassic, Tom	G	6-3	260	7	4/17/54	Elizabeth, NJ	Virginia	Littleton, CO	16
53	Gradishar, Randy	LB	6-2	231	9	3/3/52	Warren, OH	Ohio St.	Littleton, CO	16
31	Harden, Mike	S	6-1	192	3	2/16/58	Memphis, TN	Michigan	Detroit, MI	16
10	Herrmann, Mark	QB	6-4	195	2	1/8/59	Cincinnati, OH	Purdue	Englewood, CO	0
60	Howard, Paul	G	6-3	260	9	9/12/50	San Jose, CA	Brigham Young	Redding, CA	16
65	Hyde, Glenn	C/G	6-3	252	7	3/14/51	Boston, MA	Pittsburgh	Denver, CO	16
57	Jackson, Tom	LB	5-11	220	10	4/4/51	Cleveland, OH	Louisville	Denver, CO	16
52	Jackson, Robert L.	LB	6-1	230	5	8/7/54	Houston, TX	Texas A & M	Houston, TX	14
75	Jones, Rulon	DE	6-6	260	3	3/25/58	Salt Lake City, UT	Utah St.	Thornton, CO	16
22	Kyle, Aaron	CB	5-11	185	7	4/6/54	Detroit, MI	Wyoming	Englewood, CO	16
76	Lenier, Ken	T	6-3	269	2	7/8/59	Columbus, OH	Florida St.	Columbus, OH	8
72	Latimer, Don	NT	6-2	265	5	3/1/55	Fl. Pierce, FL	Miami (Fla.)	Aurora, CO	16
41	Lytle, Rob	RB	5-11	195	6	11/2/54	Fremont, OH	Michigan	Fremont, OH	16
83	Manning, Wade	WR/KR	5-11	180	3	7/25/55	Meadville, PA	Ohio St.	Denver, CO	16
66	Manor, Brison	DE	6-4	248	6	8/10/52	Bridgeton, NJ	Arkansas	North Little Rock, AK	16
59	Merrill, Mark	LB	6-4	240	4	5/5/55	St. Paul, MN	Minnesota	New Brighton, MN	15
71	Minor, Claudie	T	6-4	278	9	4/21/51	Pomona, CA	San Diego St.	Englewood, CO	13
70	Mitchell, Mack	DE	6-8	260	6	8/16/52	Diboll, TX	Houston	Houston, TX	0
7	Morton, Craig	QB	6-4	210	18	2/5/43	Flint, MI	California	Englewood, CO	15
88	Odoms, Riley	TE	6-4	235	11	3/1/50	Corpus Christi, TX	Houston	Houston, TX	15
24	Parros, Rick	RB	5-11	200	2	6/14/58	Brooklyn, NY	Utah St.	Aurora, CO	16
33	Poole, Nathan	RB	5-9	212	3	12/17/56	Alexander City, AL	Louisville	Cincinnati, OH	0
46	Preston, Dave	RB	5-11	195	5	5/29/55	Dayton, Ohio	Bowling Green	Englewood, CO	16
11	Prestridge, Luke	P	6-4	235	4	9/17/56	Houston, TX	Baylor	Englewood, CO	16
32	Reed, Tony	RB	5-11	193	6	3/30/55	San Francisco, CA	Colorado	Lafayette, CO	15
84	Robinson, Jimmy	WR	5-9	171	6	1/3/53	New York, NY	Georgia Tech	Atlanta, GA	0
50	Ryan, Jim	LB	6-1	215	4	5/18/57	Bellmahr, NJ	William & Mary	Denver, CO	16
49	Smith, Dennis	S	6-3	200	2	2/3/59	Santa Monica, CA	So. California	Santa Monica, CA	16
39	Solomon, Roland	CB	6-1	190	10	3/29/52	Greer City, SC	Colorado St.	Fl. Collins, CO	12
19	Steinfort, Fred	K	6-0	189	3	2/6/56	Fl. Worth, TX	Utah	Dallas, TX	4
70	Studdard, Dave	T	5-11	190	7	11/3/52	Weiter/Ruhr, W. Ger.	Texas	Denver, CO	16
51	Swenson, Bob	LB	6-4	260	4	11/22/55	San Antonio, TX	Texas	Westminster, CO	16
36	Thompson, Billy	S	6-1	200	14	7/1/53	Stockton, CA	California	Louisville, CO	16
37	Trimble, Steve	CB	5-10	181	2	10/10/46	Greenville, SC	Maryland St.	Lakewood, CO	16
80	Upchurch, Rick	WR/KR	5-10	180	8	5/11/58	Cumberland, MD	Maryland	Cumberland, MD	3
81	Watson, Steve	WR	6-4	195	4	5/20/52	Toledo, OH	Minnesota	Englewood, CO	13
87	Wright, Jim	TE	6-3	240	4	5/28/57	Baltimore, MD	Temple	Arvada, CO	16
20	Wright, Louis	CB	6-2	200	8	9/1/56	Fort Hood, TX	Texas Christian	Houston, TX	16
						1/31/53	Gilmer, TX	San Jose St.	Bakersfield, CA	8

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1982 ROOKIE, FIRST YEAR ROSTER

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	College	How Acq.
Chuck Allen	DL	6-3	265	So. Carolina	FA
Ken Armbrust	OL	6-5	260	Arkansas St.	FA
Anthony Arnold	WR	5-11	176	Georgia	FA '81
David Barbour	TE	6-4	215	Hawaii	FA
Willie Beebe	RB	6-0	206	Colorado	FA
Ed Blackburn	TE	6-5	217	Wayne State Col.	FA
Alan Blanshan	T	6-5	270	Minnesota	FA
Scott Boucher	OL	6-3	250	N.E. Louisiana	FA
Mark Brady	S	6-0	185	BYU	FA
Steve Brady	DB	6-0	185	BYU	FA
Tom Brannon	G	6-3	245	Florida St.	FA
Matt Braswell	C/G	6-2	255	Georgia	FA '81
Andy Bresolin	G	6-2	260	Washington	FA
Clay Brown	TE	6-2	223	BYU	D2 '81
Kelby Brown	C/G	6-4	257	Northwestern	FA
Bruce Byrom	C/G	6-4	250	Maryland	FA
Brian Clark	G	6-6	260	Clemson	D12
Terry Clark	TE	6-4	235	Furman	FA
Drew Coleman	LB	6-1	226	Vanderbilt	FA
Darren Comeaux	LB	6-1	227	Arizona St.	FA
Jerry Compton	WR	6-0	185	E. Central Oklahoma St.	FA
Ricky Cotton	WR	6-1	182	Alabama St.	FA
Jarvis Coursey	LB	6-4	225	Florida St.	FA
Mike Davis	S	6-0	205	Wyoming	FA
Tom Davis	C/G	6-2	245	Nebraska	FA '80
Mike Delegato	C	6-4	260	Oregon	FA
Alan Duncan	K	5-11	190	Tennessee	FA
Matt Eliasara	NT	6-3	250	Washington St.	FA
Terry Elston	WR	6-4	208	Houston	FA
Eric Ferguson	LB	6-2	238	So. Methodist	FA
Joe Ferraro	NT	6-4	250	Boston Col.	FA
Carl Foster	WR	6-2	202	New Mexico	FA
Rich Garza	G	6-1	260	Temple	FA
Eddie Geathers	DB	6-1	182	Clemson	FA
Greg Gerken	LB	6-5	228	No. Arizona	FA
Paul Gilbow	T	6-4	260	Arkansas St.	FA
Steve Gortz	P	6-2	205	Nevada-Las Vegas	FA
Ron Hale	T	6-6	300	Vanderbilt	FA
Tom Hall	LB	6-4	215	Stanford	FA
Larry Harris	WR	6-2	195	Stanford	FA
Steve Harris	DB	6-2	200	No. Alabama	FA
Chris Hobbs	RB	5-10	191	Miami (Fla.)	FA
Max Hooper	T	6-4	265	San Jose St.	FA
Jon Hoots	RB	5-11	195	Guilford College	FA
Roger Jackson	DB	6-0	186	Bethune-Cookman	FA
Arrington Jones	RB	6-1	225	Winston-Salem St.	FA
Rick Karlis	K	6-0	180	Cincinnati	FA
Elvin Keller	NT	6-2	255	West Texas St.	FA
Tim Koegel	QB	6-4	205	Notre Dame	FA
Bart Krout	TE	6-3	235	Alabama	FA
Bill Lane	OL	6-2	250	So. Carolina	FA
Rick Lindblad	RB	5-9	226	Puget Sound	FA
Bob Lisowski	TE	6-3	235	St. Bonaventure	FA
Merv Lopes	WR	6-0	175	Hawaii	FA
Nate Lundy	WR	6-1	175	Indiana	FA
Ron Marsh	G	6-1	245	Minot State	FA
Jim McAndrews	T	6-5	260	Syracuse	FA
Orlando McDaniel	WR	6-0	180	Louisiana St.	D2
Mark McKay	G	6-3	250	Washington St.	FA
Troy McMillin	G	6-3	255	Illinois	FA

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Serge Mihaly	NT	6-4	250	Yale	FA
Jim Miller	C	6-3	255	Louisville	FA
Kelly Miller	S	6-2	190	Idaho	FA
John Noonan	WR	6-1	192	Nebraska	FA
Bobby Overly	LB	6-0	220	San Jose St.	FA
Dan Plater	WR	6-1	182	BYU	D4
Sam Prater	LB	6-2	230	No. Alabama	FA
Keith Pressley	DL	6-4	260	Texas-Arlington	FA
Rick Price	T	6-6	270	Oregon	FA
John Quinn	QB	6-0	185	Iowa St.	FA
Guy Ramsey	S	6-2	185	Delaware	FA
Al Ray	RB	6-0	190	Rutgers	FA
Adrian Robertson	NT	6-4	255	Elon	FA
Rex Robinson	K	5-11	210	Georgia	FA
Alvin Ruben	DE	6-4	245	Houston	D7
Scott Sax	T	6-8	260	Montana St.	FA
Davy Sellers	QB	6-3	205	So. Mississippi	FA
Dan Skutack	LB	6-2	210	Auburn	FA
Bill Smith	LB	6-4	230	Clemson	FA
Mike Smith	P	5-11	195	Wyoming	FA
Steve Stamp	QB	6-0	200	Texas Christian	FA
Stan Stanton	DL	6-4	270	Newberry Col.	FA
Bob Stephenson	TE	6-3	235	Indiana	FA
David Stewart	T	6-6	240	Miami (Fla.)	FA
Ryck Suydam	NT	6-3	265	Maine	FA
Marcus Tarver	LB	6-0	220	Hawaii	FA
Anthony Thomas	CB	5-9	175	New Mexico St.	FA
Emmuel Thompson	DB	5-11	180	Texas A&I	FA
Ron Trusty	OL	6-4	250	Arkansas	FA
Calvin Turner	NT	6-4	263	West Virginia	FA
Keith Uecker	G	6-5	260	Auburn	D9
Skip Vernon	K	5-10	175	New Mexico St.	FA
Rod Walden	DL	6-6	270	Indiana	FA
Orlando Whitlock	DB	5-11	190	S.E. Louisiana	FA
Kyle Whittingham	LB	6-0	232	BYU	FA
Gerald Willhite	RB	5-10	200	San Jose St.	D1
Steve Wilson	T	6-4	252	Texas Christian	FA
Sammy Winder	RB	5-11	203	So. Mississippi	D5
Ken Woodard	LB	6-1	218	Tuskegee Institute	D10
Stu Yatsko	G	6-4	250	Oregon	D11
Emanuel Young	S	5-10	180	No. Alabama	FA

played in the Holiday, Hula, and Japan Bowls during his college career. Stephenson graduated from Indiana with a degree in business earlier this year. Bob was born in Evansville, Ind., and went to Evansville's F.J. Reitz HS, where he lettered twice each in football and basketball and once in track. Bob was a 1982 draft eligible player, and his favorite hobby is music.

DAVID ALAN STEWART T

6-6, 240 DOB: July 30, 1959

David Stewart was selected to play in the Senior Bowl game after a fine three-letter career at the University of Miami (Fla.), but was unable to compete because of an injury. Stewart played at Miami from 1977-81, including a redshirt campaign in 1978, and he graduated this year with a degree in business administration. A native of Albany, N.Y., David graduated from Shenandowa HS in Clifton Park, N.Y., where he won four letters each in football and basketball. David was eligible for this year's draft, and he works as a bartender in the off-season.

RYCK ANDREW SUYDAM NT

6-3, 265 DOB: July 2, 1960

An All-Yankee Conference and All-New England selection as a nose guard at the University of Maine, Ryck Suydam earned four letters for the Black Bears from 1978-81, and was eligible for this year's draft. Suydam also saw some playing time at guard and tight end. Born in New Brunswick, N.J., he attended Franklin HS in Somerset, N.J., where he lettered three times as an offensive and defensive lineman. An education major at Maine, Ryck works as a farmer in the off-season and lists riflery as his hobby.

MARCUS NEIL TARVER LB

6-0, 220 DOB: April 23, 1960

Marcus Tarver earned four letters as an outside linebacker at Hawaii from 1978-81, majoring in physical education. A native of San Diego, Calif., Tarver prepped at San Diego's Will C. Crawford HS, where he earned three letters each in football and track, and two more in basketball. His track specialties were the high jump, the triple jump, and the discus.

ANTHONY JAMES THOMAS CB

5-9, 175 DOB: March 2, 1960

Anthony Thomas earned two letters at New Mexico State in 1980-81 after transferring there from Porterville JC, where he played as a defensive back, running back, and punt return specialist in 1978-79. Thomas is a Pompano Beach, Fla. native who graduated from Boyd Anderson HS in Lauderdale Lakes, Fla., where he won four letters each in football and track. Anthony majored in social work at New Mexico State and works in the child care field during the off-season. He has a daughter, Syreeta (4/26/80), and likes to swim and play basketball, racquetball, and tennis. Anthony was a 1982 draft eligible player.

EMMUEL LEE THOMPSON DB Texas A & I

5-11, 180 DOB: Nov. 15, 1959

An All-Lone Star Conference defensive back and four-year letterman at Texas A & I, Emmuel Thompson played there from 1978-81 and was eligible for this year's draft. He was a quarterback and defensive back at Booker T. Washington HS in his native Houston, Texas, where he earned three letters in

Miami (Fla.) 6-4, 250 DOB: July 13, 1959

A veteran of the 1979 Southwest Athletic Conference championship team at Arkansas, Ron Trusty played offensive and defensive tackle for the Razorbacks from 1977-81, winning two letters and being cited with a squad leadership award. Trusty was a 1982 draft eligible player, and graduated from Arkansas with a degree in business management. A native of Ft. Smith, Ark., Ron prepped at Paris (Ark.) HS, where he earned 12 varsity letters, three each in football, basketball, baseball, and track. He sells insurance in the off-season, and enjoys hunting, fishing, and motorcycle riding.

CALVIN EUGENE TURNER NT West Virginia

6-4, 263 DOB: April 10, 1960

A defensive lineman and linebacker at West Virginia from 1978-81, Calvin Turner lettered each season for the Mountaineers. Born in Fairmont, W.V., Turner graduated from Fairmont West HS, where he lettered as a linebacker in every year of his prep career. Calvin has a son, Calvin Shavaugh (10/19/79), and he likes camping, fishing, and other nature activities.

LARRY SKIPPER (Skip) VERNON (1) K New Mexico State

5-10, 175 DOB: Oct. 12, 1956

Skip Vernon joins his third professional club in 1982, having had previous free agent tryouts with the Dallas Cowboys and the Green Bay Packers. Vernon made All-Missouri Valley Conference and earned four letters as a placekicker and defensive back from 1975-78 at New Mexico State. Vernon also lettered four times as a javelin thrower on the Aggies' track team. Skip was born in Inglewood, Calif., and graduated from Del Norte HS in Albuquerque, N.M., where he lettered three times each in football and track. An independent study graduate of New Mexico State, Vernon is an industrial painting estimator and contractor in the off-season. Skip's hobbies include scuba diving, snow skiing, tournament water skiing, and flying.

RODNEY FLETCHER (Rod) WALDEN DL Indiana

6-6, 270 DOB: April 8, 1954

Rod Walden earned three letters as a defensive tackle at Indiana from 1979-81 and played in the 1979 Holiday Bowl against Brigham Young. Walden, a physical education major at Indiana, was eligible for this year's draft. He graduated from Arlington HS in his hometown of Indianapolis, Ind., where he played defensive tackle for the high school team. He began his college career at Graden City JC in 1978. Rod works on conditioning and weight training in the off-season, and likes to fish in his spare time.

ORMANDO DESIMONIE VALENTINO WHITLOCK DB Southeastern Louisiana

5-11, 190 DOB: Feb. 14, 1960

Voted the defensive most valuable player at Southeastern

Louisiana University, Orlando Whitlock earned four letters as a defensive back from 1978-81. A Mississippi native, Whitlock was born in Biloxi and attended Gulfport HS, where he won three letters in football and one each in basketball and track. Orlando was a business administration major and lists fishing, swimming, and basketball as his hobbies.

KYLE DAVID WHITTINGHAM LB **Brigham Young**

6-0, 232 DOB: Nov. 21, 1959

The co-defensive player of the year in the Western Athletic Conference in 1981, Kyle Whittingham was All-WAC last year and played in his fourth consecutive Holiday Bowl Game. A four-time letterman at BYU from 1978-81, Whittingham was a 1982 draft eligible who completed his college career with appearances in the Hula Bowl and Japan Bowl. Kyle was born in San Luis Obispo, Calif., and graduated from Provo (Utah) HS, where he earned three letters each in football and baseball. Kyle's father, Fred Whittingham, the long-time defensive coordinator at BYU, is the new special teams coach of the Los Angeles Rams. A business management major at BYU, Whittingham enjoys water and snow skiing, golf, and motorcycle riding.

STEVEN EDWARD (Steve) WILSON T **Texas Christian**

6-4, 252 DOB: Aug. 9, 1960

Steve Wilson earned four letters as an offensive tackle at Texas Christian from 1978-81. He was born in Jacksonville, Fla. and graduated from Southwest Ft. Worth (Texas) HS, where Wilson lettered three times in football and once in baseball. A 1982 draft eligible player who graduated this year with a degree in business administration and marketing, Steve likes to ski, hunt, and play softball.

A. EMANUEL EUGENE (Emanuel) YOUNG S **North Alabama**

5-10, 180 DOB: Feb. 28, 1960

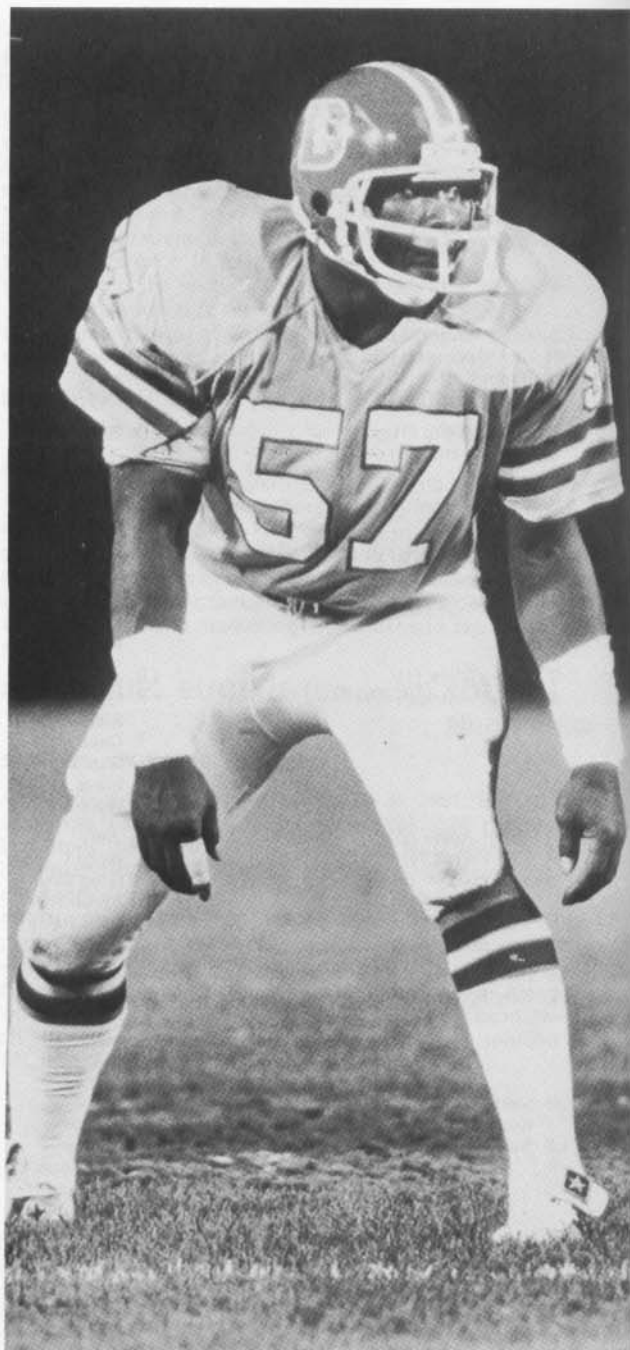
An All-Gulf South Conference safety in 1981, Emanuel Young also was named one of the most valuable players on the University of North Alabama squad last year. A four-year letterman from 1978-81, Young played a vital role on the Lions' conference championship team as both a free safety and kick return specialist in 1980. He was eligible for the 1982 college player draft. Born in Tuscumbia, Ala., Young lettered three times each in football and basketball and twice in track at Tuscumbia HS. Emanuel was a social work major at North Alabama and works as a juvenile probation officer in the off-season. He has two children, son Emanuel (7/10/78) and daughter Kenicha (11/23/76), and likes to fish, hunt, and listen to music.

VETERAN ROSTER ANALYSIS

Year	Draft	Trade	Free Agents/ Waivers
1969			
5-8-1	SS Billy Thompson (3)		
1970			
5-8-1	NONE		
1971			
4-9-1	NONE		
1972			
5-9-0	TE Riley Odoms (1)		
1973	DE Barney Chavous (2)		
7-5-2	G Paul Howard (3a)		
	LB Tom Jackson (4)		
1974	LB Randy Gradishar (1)		
7-6-1	T Claudie Minor (3)		
1975	CB Louis Wright (1)		
6-8-0	WR Rick Upchurch (4b)		
	NT Ruben Carter (5b)		
	CB Steve Foley (8)		
1976	G Tom Glassic (1)		C/G Glenn Hyde
9-5-0	LB Larry Evans (14)		
1977	RB Rob Lytle (2)	QB Craig Morton (N.Y. Giants)	TE Ron Egloff
12-2	C Bill Bryan (4)		DE Brison Manor
1978	NT Don Latimer (1)		RB Larry Canada
10-6			RB Dave Preston
1979	T Kelvin Clark (1)		LB Jim Ryan
10-6	P Luke Prestridge (7)		K Fred Steinfort
			T Dave Studdard
			WR Steve Watson
1980	DE Rulon Jones (2)	DB Perry Smith (St. Louis)	TE Jim Wright
8-8	RB Rick Parros (4)		DE Greg Boyd
	DB Mike Harden (5a)		DB Aaron Kyle
	C/G Keith Bishop (6)		C/G Tom Davis (IR)
1981	DB Dennis Smith (1)	QB Steve DeBerg (San Francisco)	WR Anthony Arnold (IR)
10-6	TE Clay Brown (2) (IR)		C/G Matt Braswell (IR)
			LB Mark Merrill
	QB Mark Herrmann (4)	WR Wade Manning (Buffalo)	WR Jimmy Robinson (IR)
	T Ken Lanier (5)		CB Roland Solomon
	LB Steve Busick (7)		CB Steve Trimble
		RB Tony Reed (Kansas City)	

(IR) Injured Reserve

THE 1981 SEASON



Tom Jackson, Denver's Most Inspirational Player in 1981.

1981 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

TEAM

Denver's record statistical accomplishments of 1981 are listed below:

- Most rushing and passing plays: 1,062 (1,044 in 1979 was previous high).
- Most yards, total offense: 5,426 (5,142 in 1979 was previous high).
- Most touchdown passes: 27 (24 in 1960 was previous high).
- Most yards passing: 3,531 (3,433 in 1980 was previous high).
- Highest average gain per pass attempt: 8.23 (8.09 in 1974 was previous high).
- Most first downs: 306 (which equals 306 in 1979).
- Most first downs passing: 181 (177 in 1962 was previous high).
- Most first downs by penalty: 34 (28 in 1978 was previous high).
- Most opponent fumbles recovered: 23 (21 in 1964 was previous high).

INDIVIDUAL

Individual season and career records set by Broncos in 1981 include:

SEASON — (previous highs in parentheses)

Most yards gained: CRAIG MORTON, 3,213 (3,038 by Frank Tripucka in 1960).

Best average gain per play: CRAIG MORTON, 8.37 (7.93 by Charley Johnson in 1974).

Most yards passing: CRAIG MORTON, 3,195 (3,038 by Frank Tripucka in 1960).

Most yards, pass receiving: STEVE WATSON, 1,244 (1,235 by Lionel Taylor in 1960), tied for first in AFC with Buffalo's Frank Lewis.

Most touchdown receptions: STEVE WATSON, 13 (12 by Lionel Taylor in 1960), led AFC.

Most touchdowns scored: STEVE WATSON, 13 (which equals 13 by Floyd Little in 1972 and 1973).

CAREER — (previous highs in parentheses)

Most rushing and passing plays: CRAIG MORTON, 1,667 (1,650, Floyd Little, 1967-75).

Most passes attempted: CRAIG MORTON, 1,568 (1,277, Frank Tripucka, 1960-63).

Best completion percentage (100 or more passes): STEVE DeBERG, 59.3 (57.0, Norris Weese, 1976-79).

Most touchdown receptions: HAVEN MOSES, 44 (which equals 44 by Lionel Taylor, 1960-66).

Best average gain per reception: STEVE WATSON, 20.5 (20.5, Billy Van Heusen, 1968-76).

HONORS

Pro Bowl: Randy Gradishar, Bob Swenson, Billy Thompson, Steve Watson.

All-NFL: Bob Swenson (AP, NEA, The Sporting News), Randy Gradishar (AP-2nd team, NEA-2nd team, The Sporting News, Pro Football Weekly).

All-AFC: Randy Gradishar (UPI), Billy Thompson, (UPI), Steve Watson (UPI), Bob Swenson (UPI-2nd team), Louis Wright (UPI-2nd team).

Earl Hartman Award Winners (Broncos Most Valuable Players, as voted by teammates): Steve Watson (offense), Bob Swenson (defense), Jim Ryan (special teams).

Bob Peck Memorial Award (Most Inspirational Player, as voted by teammates): Tom Jackson.

FINAL STATISTICS

RESULTS AND ATTENDANCE

W Denver 9, Oakland 7	74,796
L Denver 10, at Seattle 13	58,513
W Denver 28, Baltimore 10	74,804
W Denver 42, San Diego 24	74,844
W Denver 17, at Oakland 0	51,035
W Denver 27, Detroit 21	74,816
L Denver 14, at Kansas City 28	74,672
L Denver 7, at Buffalo 9	77,757
W Denver 19, Minnesota 17	74,834
W Denver 23, Cleveland 20	74,859
W Denver 24, at Tampa Bay 7	64,518
L Denver 21, at Cincinnati 38	57,207
L Denver 17, at San Diego 34	51,533
W Denver 16, Kansas City 13	74,744
W Denver 23, Seattle 13	74,527
L Denver 24, at Chicago 35	40,125

TEAM STATISTICS

	Brontos	Opponents
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	306	268
Rushing	91	103
Passing	181	142
Penalty	34	23
Third Down: Made/Attempts	86/230	74/219
Third Down Efficiency	37%	34%
TOTAL NET YARDS	5426	4860
Average Per Game	339.1	303.8
Total Plays	1062	999
Average Per Play	5.1	4.9
NET YARDS RUSHING	1895	1992
Average Per Game	118.4	124.5
Total Rushes	515	467
Average Per Rush	3.7	4.3
NET YARDS PASSING	3531	2868
Average Per Game	220.7	179.3
Tackled/Yards Lost	61/461	36/295
Gross Yards Passing	3992	3163
Attempts/Completions	485/289	497/267
Pct. of Completions	60%	54%
Had Intercepted	21	23
Average Per Pass Play	6.5	5.4
PUNTS/AVERAGE	86/40.4	88/43.1
NET PUNTING AVERAGE	34.8	36.0
Total Return Yardage	1584	1800
Punts Returns/Average	51/8.6	46/8.4
Kickoff Returns/Average	47/17.0	47/21.4
Interception Returns/Average	23/14.9	21/19.3
PENALTIES/YARDS	99/832	104/949
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	26/18	36/23
TOUCHDOWNS	39	35
Rushing	12	17
Passing	27	13
Returns	0	5
Extra Points Made/Attempts	36/38	34/35
Field Goals Made/Attempts	17/30	15/27
TOTAL POINTS	321	289

SCORE BY PERIODS

	1	2	3	4	OT	Total
BRONCOS	67	91	74	86	3	321
Opponents	63	80	71	75	—	289

RUSHING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Parros	176	749	4.3	25	2
Preston	183	640	3.5	23	3
Reed	68	156	2.3	10	0
Canada	33	113	3.4	11	3
Lytle	30	106	3.5	18	4
Upchurch	5	56	11.2	37	0
DeBerg	9	40	4.4	11	0
Morton	8	18	2.3	5	0
Wright	1	11	11.0	11	0
Watson	2	6	3.0	6	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	515	1895	3.7	37	12
Opp. Total	467	1992	4.3	82T	17

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Avg./Att.	TD
Morton	376	225	3195	.598	8.50	21
DeBerg	108	64	797	.593	7.38	6
Reed	1	0	0	.000	0.00	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	485	289	3992	.596	8.23	27
Opp. Total	497	267	3163	.537	6.36	13

PASSING

	Pct. TD	Int.	Pct. Int.	LG	TKD/Lost	Rating
Morton	.056	14	.037	95T	54/394	90.5
DeBerg	.056	6	.056	44	7/67	77.5
Reed	.000	1	1.000	0	0/0	0.0
BRONCOS TOTAL	.056	21	.043	95T	61/461	86.7
Opp. Total	.026	23	.046	65T	36/295	62.8

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Watson	60	1244	20.7	95T	13
Preston	52	507	9.8	37	0
Odoms	38	516	13.6	28	5
Reed	34	317	9.3	33	0
Upchurch	32	550	17.2	63	3
Parros	25	216	8.6	26	1
Egloff	17	231	13.6	40	1
Moses	15	246	16.4	30	1
Lytle	6	47	7.8	14	1
Manning	3	49	16.3	34	0
Canada	3	37	12.3	20	1
Wright	3	22	7.3	14	1
Studdard	1	10	10.0	10	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	289	3992	13.8	95T	27
Opp. Total	267	3169	11.9	65T	13

INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Foley	5	81	16.2	24	0
Gradishar	4	38	9.5	16	0
Thompson	4	14	3.5	14	0
Swenson	3	53	17.7	32	0
Kyle	2	40	20.0	40	0
Harden	2	34	17.0	38	0
Smith	1	65	65.0	65	0
Manor	1	16	16.0	16	0
Evans	1	1	1.0	1	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	23	342	14.9	65	0
Opp. Total	21	405	19.3	69T	4

PUNTING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	LG	Blk
Prestridge	86	3478	40.4	5	20	67	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	86	3478	40.4	5	20	67	0
Opp. Total	87	3789	43.6	9	18	71	1

SCORING

	TDR	TDP	TDRT	PAT	FG	TP
Steinfort				36/37	17/30	87
Watson		13				78
Lytle	4	1				30
Odoms		5				30
Canada	3	1				24
Upchurch		3				18
Parros	2	1				18
Preston	3					18
Egloff		1				6
Wright		1				6
Moses		1				6
Prestridge				0/1		0
BRONCOS TOTAL	12	27		0 36/38	17/30	321
Opp. Total	17	13		5 34/35	15/27	289

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Manning	41	4	378	9.2	39	0
Upchurch	9	1	63	7.0	15	0
Kyle	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	51	5	441	8.6	39	0
Opp. Total	46	17	388	8.4	26	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Manning	26	514	19.8	31	0
Harden	11	178	16.2	23	0
Lytle	5	80	16.0	24	0
Canada	2	19	9.5	13	0
Egloff	1	7	7.0	7	0
Ryan	1	2	2.0	2	0
Preston	1	1	1.0	1	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	47	801	17.0	31	0
Opp. Total	47	1007	21.4	46	0

FIELD GOALS

	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
Steinfort	0-0	6-9	5-11	6-8	0-2	17-30
BRONCOS TOAL	0-0	6-9	5-11	6-8	0-2	17-30
Opp. Total	0-0	5-6	4-6	5-11	1-4	15-27

GAMES PLAYED

Boyd 16, Bryan 14, Busick 16, Canada 16, Carter 16, Chavous 16, Clark 16, DeBerg 14, Egloff 16, Evans 16, Foley 16, Glassic 16, Gradishar 16, Harden 16, Herrmann 0, Howard 16, Hyde 16, Jackson 16, Jones 16, Kyle 16, Lanier 8, Latimer 16, Lytle 16, Manning 16, Manor 16, Merrill 15, Minor 13, Morton 15, Moses 16, Odoms 15, Parros 16, Preston 16, Prestridge 16, Reed 15, Ryan 16, D. Smith 16, P. Smith 12, Solomon 4, Steinfort 16, Studdard 16, Swenson 16, Thompson 16, Trimble 3, Upchurch 13, Watson 16, J. Wright 16, L. Wright 8.

1981 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Compiled from Coaching Film Study)

Player	Tackles	Assists	Total	Scks/Yds	Int./Yds	OFR/Yds
Boyd	19	15	32	1/10		1/0
Busick	1	0	1			2/3
Carter	67	34	101	3/18		1/0
Chavous	58	35	93	4/29		1/0
Evans	81	45	125	2/10	1/1	1/0
Foley	53	34	87		5/81	1/0
Gradishar	168	90	258	1/8	4/38	
Harden	23	14	37		2/34	1/0
Jackson	95	49	144	4/33		1/0
Jones	37	34	71	9 1/2/86		1/0
Kyle	62	6	68		2/40	4/1
Latimer	51	20	71	2 1/2/30		1/0
Manor	27	12	39	4/35	1/16	
Merrill	1	0	1			
Ryan	15	7	22			
D. Smith	42	3	45		1/65	2/0
P. Smith	32	3	35			
Solomon	0	0	0			
Swenson	103	42	145	3/27	3/53	3/0
Thompson	59	32	91	1/9	4/14	2/0
Trimble	0	0	0			
L. Wright	25	7	32	1/11		1/-5

TOP PERFORMANCES OF 1981

Individual

RUSHING—Dave Preston, 19-87, vs. Oakland (9/6). **PASSING**—Percentage: Craig Morton, .944 on 17 of 18, vs. San Diego (9/27). Yards: Craig Morton, 342, at Kansas City (10/18). Touchdowns: Craig Morton, 4, vs. Baltimore (9/20) and vs. San Diego (9/27). **RECEIVING**—Number: Steve Watson, 7, vs. Baltimore (9/20) and at Kansas City (10/18), and Riley Odoms, 7, at Kansas City (10/18). Yards: Steve Watson, 182, vs. Detroit (10/11). **INTERCEPTIONS**—Number: Steve Foley, 3, vs. San Diego (9/27). Yards: Dennis Smith, 65, at Chicago (12/20). **KICKOFF RETURNS**—Wade Manning, 4 for 81 yards, at Cincinnati (11/22). **PUNT RETURNS**—Wade Manning, 5 for 97 yards, vs. Baltimore (9/20). **SCORING**—Steve Watson, 18, vs. Baltimore (9/20). **TOUCHDOWNS**—Steve Watson, 3, vs. Baltimore (9/20).

Team

TOTAL OFFENSE—453 (103 rushing, 350 passing), vs. San Diego (9/27). **RUSHING**—237 vs. Seattle (12/13). **PASSING**—350 vs. San Diego (9/27). **SCORING**—42 vs. San Diego (9/27). **TOTAL DEFENSE**—165 (81 rushing, 84 passing) vs. Oakland (9/6). **RUSHING DEFENSE**—41 at Tampa Bay (11/15). **PASSING DEFENSE**—48 vs. Baltimore (9/20). **SCORING DEFENSE**—0, at Oakland (10/4).

Longest Plays

RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE—Rick Upchurch, 37, vs. Seattle (12/13). **PASS PLAY**—Craig Morton to Steve Watson, 95 yards (TD), vs. Detroit (10/11). **KICKOFF RETURN**—Wade Manning, 31, vs. Detroit (10/11). **PUNT RETURN**—Wade Manning, 39, at Tampa Bay (11/15). **INTERCEPTION RETURN**—Dennis Smith, 65, at Chicago (12/20). **PUNT**—Luke Prestridge, 67, at Buffalo (10/25). **FIELD GOAL**—Fred Steinfort, 49 yards, vs. Minnesota (11/2).



BRONCOS DEPARTMENTAL LEADERS

Category	Player	AFC Rank	AFC Leader	NFL Rank	NFL Leader
Scoring	Steinfort—87	6th (Kickers)	Breech, Cin—115 Lowery, KC—115	T-15th	Murray, Det—121 Septien, Dal—121
Rushing	Parros—749	12th	Campbell, Hou—1376	24th	Rogers, NO—1674
Passing	Morton—225-376, 3195 yards, 21 TD, 14 int., 90.6 rating	T-2nd	Anderson, Cin—98.5	T-2nd	Anderson, Cin—98.5
Receiving	Watson—60 Watson—1244 yards	13th T-1st	Winslow, SD—88 Watson, Den—1244	24th T-3rd	Winslow, SD—88 Jenkins, Atl—1358
Punting	Prestridge—40.4	9th	Lewis, Buf—1244	21st	McInally, Cin—45.4
Interceptions	Foley—5	T-6th	McInally, Cin—45.4	T-21st	Walls, Dal—11
Kickoff returns	Manning—19.8 avg.	17th	Harris, Sea—10	30th	Roaches, Hou—27.5 avg.
Punt returns	Manning—9.2 avg.	6th	Roaches, Hou—27.5 avg.	12th	Irvin, LA—13.4 avg.

HOW THE BRONCOS RANKED

Category	Broncos Total	AFC Rank	AFC Leader	NFL Rank	NFL Leader
Points scored	321	9th	SD-478	17th	SD-478
First downs	306	T-8th	SD-379	T-16th	SD-379
Total plays	1061	6th	Clev—1138	14th	Clev—1138
Total yards	5426	7th	SD—6744	14th	SD—6744

Rushing yards	1895	11th	KC—2633	21st	Det—2795
Passing yards	3531	5th	SD—4739	8th	SD—4739
Penalties	99	9th	SD—128	18th	SD—128
Penalty yards	833	10th	SD—947	21st	Chi—996
Fumbles	26	T-12th	Oak—42	T-25th	Dal—45
Fumbles lost	18	T-8th	Clev—26	T-14th	Clev—26
Points allowed	289	4th	Buf—276	9th	Phil—221
Total TDs allowed	35	T-4th	Buf—30	T-9th	Phil—26
Touchdowns rushing	17	T-8th	Buf—7	T-17th	Buf—7
Touchdowns passing	13	1st	Den—13	3rd	TB—10
Total first downs	268	1st	Den—268	2nd	Phil—266
Rushing	103	1st	Den—103	4th	Det—93
Passing	142	1st	Den 142	3rd	LA—128
Penalty	23	T-3rd	Mia—12	T-7th	Mia—12
Total yards allowed	4878	2nd	NY—4871	6th	Phil—4447
Rushing	2005	7th	KC—1747	13th	Det—1623
Passing	2873	2nd	Buf—2870	5th	Phil—2696
Passer tackled	36	T-8th	NY—66	T-13th	NY Jets—66
Interceptions	23	3rd	Pitt—30	11th	Dal—37
Fumbles Recovered	23	2nd	Sea—27	3rd	Sea—27
Takeaways-Giveaways	+7	3rd	Sea—(+10)	8th	SF—(+23)

DEFENSE

GAME-BY-GAME REVIEW

BRONCOS 9, RAIDERS 7

Sunday, September 6 at Denver

Oakland	7	0	0	0	—	7
Denver	6	3	0	0	—	9

Oak—Chester 9 pass from Plunkett (Bahr kick)
 Den—Upchurch 44 pass from Morton (pass failed)
 Den—Steinfort 29 FG
 ATT—74,796

TEAM STATISTICS

	Oak	Den
First downs	12	21
Total net yards	165	358
Net yards rushing	81	176
Net yards passing	84	182
Total plays	53	72
Passes	24-14-2	25-12-0
Return yards	97	87
Penalty yards	73	54

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Oakland

RUSHING—van Eeghen 8-30, Whittington 8-24, King 7-22, Plunkett 1-5. **PASSING**—Plunkett 14-24-2, 125 yards. **RECEIVING**—Chester 5-33, King 4-30, Chandler 1-5, van Eeghen 1-8, Branch 1-38, Whittington 2-11.

Denver

RUSHING—Morton 2-6, Parros 15-47, Preston 19-87, Reed 7-29, Watson 1-6, Canada 1-1. **PASSING**—Morton 12-25-0, 194 yards. **RECEIVING**—Upchurch 2-64, Reed 1-6, Preston 3-21, Moses 2-29, Odoms 2-38, Egloff 1-8, Watson 1-28.

SEAHAWKS 13, BRONCOS 10

Sunday, September 13 at Seattle

Denver	3	7	0	0	—	10
Seattle	7	3	3	0	—	13

Den—Steinfort 30 FG
 Sea—Boyd 3 pass from Zorn (Herrera kick)
 Sea—Herrera 43 FG
 Den—Odoms 11 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)
 Sea—Herrera 22 FG
 ATT—58,513

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Sea
First downs	16	18
Total net yards	252	267
Net yards rushing	110	111
Net yards passing	142	156
Total plays	52	68
Passes	25-14-1	34-24-2
Return yards	91	92
Penalty yards	60	40

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Parros 13-69, Reed 5-23, Preston 6-18. **PASSING**—Morton 14-25-1, 161 yards. **RECEIVING**—Preston 4-27, Odoms 3-35, Watson 2-36, Reed 2-22, Parros 2-16, Moses 1-25.

Seattle

RUSHING—Smith 11-58, Jodat 7-23, Hughes 8-21, Lane 1-3, Zorn 2-4. **PASSING**—Zorn 24-34-2, 199 yards. **RECEIVING**—Hughes 6-59, Largent 5-45, McCullum 4-38, Sawyer 2-23, Smith 2-17, Moore 2-8, Boyd 1-3, Lane 1-3, Jodat 1-3.

BRONCOS 28, COLTS 10

Sunday, September 20 at Denver

Baltimore	0	0	10	0	—
Denver	0	14	14	0	—

Den—Egloff 7 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)
Den—Watson 29 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)
Bal—Wood 21 FG
Bal—Dickey 63 run (Wood kick)
Den—Watson 18 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)
Den—Watson 48 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)
ATT—74,804

TEAM STATISTICS

	Bal	Den
First downs	10	27
Total net yards	209	442
Net yards rushing	161	127
Net yards passing	48	315
Total plays	47	71
Passes	19-7-1	33-24-4
Return yards	155	110
Penalty yards	63	65

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Baltimore

RUSHING—McMillan 8-17, Dickey 12-115, Dixon 5-28, Jones 1-1. **PASSING**—Jones 7-19-1, 65 yards. **RECEIVING**—Carr 1-18, McMillan 4-29, Dixon 1-4, Dickey 1-13.

Denver

RUSHING—Preston 12-47, Parros 14-65, Reed 1-2, Watson 1-0, Canada 6-13, Lytle 1-0. **PASSING**—Morton 20-28-4, 291 yards. DeBerg 4-5-0, 50 yards. **RECEIVING**—Preston 6-46, Watson 7-143, Reed 3-40, Odoms 3-33, Egloff 1-7, Moses 1-30, Manning 1-8, J. Wright 1-14, Canada 1-20.

BRONCOS 42, CHARGERS 24

Sunday, September 27 at Denver

San Diego	0	0	10	14	—
Denver	21	7	7	7	—

Den—Odoms 19 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)
Den—Watson 93 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)
Den—J. Wright 2 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)
Den—Watson 21 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)
Den—Preston 2 run (Steinfork kick)
SD—Smith 39 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)
SD—Benirschke 52 FG
SD—Cappelletti 1 run (Benirschke kick)
SD—Winslow 1 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)
Den—Lytle 3 run (Steinfork kick)
ATT—74,844

TEAM STATISTICS

	SD	Den
First downs	23	20
Total net yards	349	453
Net yards rushing	84	103
Net yards passing	265	350
Total plays	74	63
Passes	47-26-3	24-21-0
Return yards	100	95
Penalty yards	40	55

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

San Diego

RUSHING—Muncie 7-16, J. Brooks 7-41, Cappelletti 7-26, C. Williams 1-1. **PASSING**—Fouts 26-47-3, 298 yards. **RECEIVING**—Muncie 3-35, Sievers 3-26, Winslow 10-106, Cappelletti 2-26, Joiner 3-32, J. Brooks 2-6, Smith 1-39, C. Williams 1-12, Scales 1-16.

Denver

RUSHING—Parros 6-15, Preston 14-32, Reed 4-(-2), Canada 8-43, Morton 2-6, Lytle 3-9. **PASSING**—Morton 17-18-0, 308 yards, DeBerg 4-6-0, 59 yards. **RECEIVING**—Watson 8-178, Manning 2-41, Odoms 4-71, J. Wright 1-2, Preston 2-25, Reed 2-7, Moses 2-43.

BRONCOS 17, RAIDERS 0

Sunday, October 4 at Oakland

Denver	0	7	10	0	—	17
Oakland	0	0	0	0	—	0

Den—Preston 4 run (Steinfork kick)
Den—Steinfork 31 FG
Den—Parros 20 run (Steinfork kick)
ATT—51,035

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Oak
First downs	17	12
Total net yards	252	168
Net yards rushing	162	78
Net yards passing	90	90
Total plays	69	52
Passes	17-10-0	28-14-2
Return yards	32	101
Penalty yards	55	30

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Parros 18-73, Preston 21-70, Reed 5-17, Canada 1-2. **PASSING**—Morton 9-16-0, 117 yards, DeBerg 1-1-0, 24 yards. **RECEIVING**—Odoms 3-33, Reed 2-23, Parros 1-24, Moses 1-19, Preston 1-17, Egloff 1-14, Watson 1-11.

Oakland

RUSHING—King 15-53, Jensen 4-12, Plunkett 2-13. **PASSING**—Plunkett 13-20-1, 115 yards, Wilson 1-8-1, 8 yards. **RECEIVING**—King 6-34, Jensen 3-41, Ramsey 3-19, Bradshaw 1-15, Branch 1-14.

BRONCOS 27, LIONS 21

Sunday, October 11 at Denver

Detroit	7	14	0	0	—	21
Denver	10	7	3	7	—	27
Den—Watson 95 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)						
Den—Steinfork 24 FG						
Det—Sims 48 run (Murray kick)						
Det—Sims 1 run (Murray kick)						
Den—Watson 40 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)						
Det—Hall 60 interception return (Murray kick)						
Den—Steinfork 24 FG						
Den—Parros 15 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)						
ATT—74,816						

TEAM STATISTICS

	Det	Den
First downs	18	20
Total net yards	325	401
Net yards rushing	267	135
Net yards passing	58	266
Total plays	66	57
Passes	16-7-1	18-13-1
Return yards	136	100
Penalty yards	121	25

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Detroit

RUSHING—Bussey 12-49, Sims 28-185, Kane 3-6, Komlo 3-9
Nichols 1-13, King 1-5. **PASSING**—Komlo 7-16-1, 72 yards.
RECEIVING—Scott 2-22, Nichols 2-26, Bussey 1-7, Kane 1-5
King 1-12.

Denver

RUSHING—Parros 20-77, Preston 9-41, Reed 4-(-4), Morton 2-1,
Lytle 2-20. **PASSING**—Morton 13-18-1, 283 yards. **RECEIVING**
—Watson 5-182, Moses 4-56, Parros 2-12, Reed 1-12, Odoms 1-
21.

CHIEFS 28, BRONCOS 14

Sunday, October 18 at Kansas City

Denver	0	0	7	7	—	14
Kansas City	14	0	0	14	—	28
KC—B. Jackson 1 run (Lowery kick)						
KC—Paul 47 fumble recovery return (Lowery kick)						
Den—Watson 11 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)						
KC—Marshall 64 pass from Kenney (Lowery kick)						
Den—Watson 11 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)						
KC—Delaney 82 run (Lowery kick)						
ATT—74,672						

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	KC
First downs	20	13
Total net yards	396	324
Net yards rushing	77	224
Net yards passing	319	100
Total plays	78	57
Passes	43-28-3	12-6-2
Return yards	103	156
Penalty yards	96	47

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Preston 13-39, Reed 4-8, Upchurch 1-3, Parros 10-
27, Morton 1-0. **PASSING**—Morton 25-38-1, 342 yards, DeBerg
3-5-2, 16 yards. **RECEIVING**—Upchurch 5-138, Watson 7-75,
Odoms 7-74, Parros 2-11, Preston 5-47, Reed 2-13.

Kansas City

RUSHING—Delaney 21-149, Hadnot 12-56, Jackson 6-12,
Marshall 1-34, Kenney 4-(-8), Grupp 1-(-19). **PASSING**—Kenney
6-12-2, 100 yards. **RECEIVING**—Smith 1-9, Hadnot 1-5, Dixon 1-
6, Marshall 3-80.

BILLS 9, BRONCOS 7

Sunday, October 25 in Buffalo

Denver	0	7	0	0	—	7
Buffalo	0	3	3	3	—	9
Den—Watson 36 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)						
Buf—Mike-Mayer 41 FG						
Buf—Mike-Mayer 46 FG						
Buf—Mike-Mayer 36 FG						
ATT—77,757						

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Buf
First downs	10	17
Total net yards	161	323
Net yards rushing	64	119
Net yards passing	97	204
Total plays	56	72
Passes	25-10-0	42-21-1
Return yards	76	62
Penalty yards	30	78

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Upchurch 1-5, Preston 11-26, Parros 10-22, Reed 2-
11. **PASSING**—Morton 10-25-0, 151 yards. **RECEIVING**—
Watson 4-91, Parros 1-9, Preston 2-3, Odoms 2-21, Egloff 1-27.

Buffalo

RUSHING—Cribbs 24-123, Brown 2-1, Kush 1-(-6), Butler 1-1.
PASSING—Ferguson 21-42-1, 223 yards. **RECEIVING**—
Brammer 4-28, Jessie 1-24, Butler 1-0, Brown 4-24, Lewis 6-90,
Cribbs 2-15, Franklin 1-16, Piccone 2-26.

BRONCOS 19, VIKINGS 17

Monday, November 2 at Denver

Minnesota	0	3	0	14	—	17
Denver	0	3	3	13	—	19
Den—Steinfork 42 FG						
Min—Danmeier 32 FG						
Den—Steinfork 49 FG						
Den—Lytle 5 run (Steinfork kick)						
Den—Watson 15 pass from Morton (Steinfork kick)						
Min—Galbreath 1 run (Danmeier kick)						
Min—Galbreath 1 run (Danmeier kick)						
ATT—74,834						

TEAM STATISTICS

	Min	Den
First downs	19	17
Total net yards	325	329
Net yards rushing	102	147
Net yards passing	223	182
Total plays	59	70
Passes	36-22-1	30-16-1
Return yards	77	123
Penalty yards	35	40

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Minnesota

RUSHING — Brown 14-47, Kramer 1-1, Young 1-(-1), Galbreath 5-17, LeCount 1-38. **PASSING** — Kramer 22-36-1, 230 yards. **RECEIVING** — Rashad 4-60, Brown 4-20, LeCount 3-32, Senser 6-73, White 2-31, Young 2-59, Galbreath 1-5.

Denver

RUSHING — Lytle 4-10, Reed 5-23, Preston 10-37, Parros 12-65, Canada 6-12. **PASSING** — Morton 16-28-0, 201 yards, Reed 0-1-0, 0 yards, DeBerg 0-1-0, 0 yards. **RECEIVING** — Odoms 2-31, Upchurch 5-32, Reed 3-43, Watson 2-21, Parros 1-5, Egloff 2-62, Preston 1-7.

BRONCOS 23, BROWNS 20 (OT)

Sunday, November 8 at Denver

Cleveland	3	7	7	6	0	20
Denver	3	7	3	7	3	23

Den—Steinfort 45 FG
Cle—C. Miller 1 run (Bahr kick)
Den—Watson 5 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)
Den—Steinfort 43 FG
Cle—Logan 23 pass from Sipe (Bahr kick)
Den—Preston 4 run (Steinfort kick)
Cle—Bahr 27 FG
Cle—Bahr 32 FG
Den—Steinfort 30 FG
ATT—74,859

TEAM STATISTICS

	Cle	Den
First downs	20	22
Total net yards	362	362
Net yards rushing	82	116
Net yards passing	280	246
Total plays	65	75
Passes	42-20-2	33-21-0
Return yards	152	125
Penalty yards	24	34

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Cleveland

RUSHING — M. Pruitt 12-57, Sipe 3-10, C. Miller 6-9, Newsome 1-6. **PASSING** — Sipe 20-42-2, 290 yards. **RECEIVING** — Logan 5-86, Newsome 3-89, C. Miller 2-10, M. Pruitt 5-30, Rucker 1-33, Hill 4-42.

Denver

RUSHING — Reed 8-14, Preston 11-29, Parros 13-66, Lytle 2-0, Morton 1-5, Upchurch 1-2. **PASSING** — Morton 21-33-0, 291 yards. **RECEIVING** — Reed 2-15, Parros 3-22, Egloff 1-18, Odoms 5-71, Watson 3-55, Preston 4-61, Upchurch 3-49.

BRONCOS 24, BUCCANEERS 7

Sunday, November 15 at Tampa Bay

Denver	7	0	7	10	—	24
Tampa Bay	0	0	7	0	—	7
Den—Odoms 12 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)						
TB—Brown 40 interception return (Capece kick)						
Den—Canada 1 run (Steinfort kick)						
Den—Canada 3 pass from DeBerg (Steinfort kick)						
Den—Steinfort 31 FG						
ATT—64,518						

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	TB
First downs	22	10
Total net yards	281	209
Net yards rushing	153	41
Net yards passing	128	168
Total plays	72	48
Passes	29-20-1	31-14-2
Return yards	120	109
Penalty yards	40	59

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING — Preston 15-50, Reed 9-27, Parros 12-54, DeBerg 3-10, Canada 1-1, J. Wright 1-11. **PASSING** — Morton 10-14-0, 73 yards, DeBerg 10-15-1, 70 yards. **RECEIVING** — Preston 6-46, Parros 3-8, Odoms 2-23, Watson 3-42, Reed 4-22, Upchurch 1-(-1), Canada 1-3.

Tampa Bay

RUSHING — Eckwood 8-25, Wilder 4-7, Williams 1-3, R. Bell 1-6. **PASSING** — Williams 14-31-2, 189 yards. **RECEIVING** — Wilder 3-21, House 4-55, Giles 4-56, Eckwood 4-8, Jones 1-44, T. Bell 1-5.

BENGALS 38, BRONCOS 21

Sunday, November 22 at Cincinnati

Denver	0	7	0	14	—	21
Cincinnati	14	14	0	10	—	38

Cin—Johnson 39 run (Breech kick)
Cin—Johnson 2 pass from Anderson (Breech kick)
Den—Lytle 5 run (Steinfort kick)
Cin—Anderson 2 run (Breech kick)
Cin—Collinsworth 7 pass from Anderson (Breech kick)
Cin—Breech 38 FG
Den—Watson 13 pass from DeBerg (Steinfort kick)
Den—Lytle 14 pass from DeBerg (Steinfort kick)
ATT—57,207

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Cin
First downs	17	25
Total net yards	337	571
Net yards rushing	68	184
Net yards passing	269	387
Total plays	57	72
Passes	34-21-2	37-25-0
Return yards	94	59
Penalty yards	18	45

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING — Preston 5-17, DeBerg 6-30, Parros 2-5, Reed 5-11, Lytle 1-5. **PASSING** — DeBerg 21-34-2, 305 yards. **RECEIVING** — Preston 5-60, Parros 5-50, Watson 5-102, Lytle 2-17, Reed 4-76.

Cincinnati

RUSHING—Johnson 19-99, Alexander 4-10, Anderson 3-11, Kreider 1-21, Hargrove 5-42, Griffin 1-1. **PASSING**—Anderson 25-37-0, 396 yards, Kreider 0-1-0, 0 yards. **RECEIVING**—Harris 4-57, Ross 7-123, Johnson 6-46, Collinsworth 2-25, Alexander 3-82, Kreider 3-63.

CHARGERS 34, BRONCOS 17 Sunday, November 29 at San Diego

Denver	0	10	0	7	—	17
San Diego	14	13	7	0	—	34

SD—Muncie 14 run (Benirschke kick)
SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)
Den—Canada 4 run (Steinfort kick)
SD—Muncie 4 run (Benirschke kick)
Den—Steinfort 21 FG
SD—Muncie 3 run (Benirschke kick)
SD—Sievers 1 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)
Den—Moses 10 pass from DeBerg (Steinfort kick)
ATT—51,533

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	SD
First downs	19	20
Total net yards	389	408
Net yards rushing	67	148
Net yards passing	322	260
Total plays	67	72
Passes	46-26-3	34-21-1
Return yards	117	105
Penalty yards	20	84

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Preston 5-25, Reed 4-2, Parros 5-36, Lytle 2-0, Canada 1-4. **PASSING**—Morton 19-31-2, 270 yards, DeBerg 7-15-1, 83 yards. **RECEIVING**—Preston 4-43, Egloff 2-30, Odoms 1-21, Moses 3-32, Upchurch 4-86, Parros 2-16, Reed 6-30, Watson 4-95.

San Diego

RUSHING—Muncie 18-75, Brooks 11-44, Chandler 1-9, C. Williams 4-12, Cappelletti 3-9, Luther 1-(-1). **PASSING**—Fouts 19-29-0, 256 yards, Luther 2-5-1, 4 yards. **RECEIVING**—Chandler 4-111, Winslow 3-18, Brooks 3-15, Muncie 4-30, Joiner 2-27, Sievers 4-36, Scales 1-23.

BRONCOS 16, CHIEFS 13 Sunday, December 6 at Denver

Kansas City	0	6	7	0	—	13
Denver	7	9	0	0	—	16

Den—Lytle 2 run (Steinfort kick)
Den—Steinfort 23 FG
Den—Canada 2 run (kick failed)
KC—Lowery 43 FG
KC—Lowery 45 FG
KC—Hadnot 1 run (Lowery kick)
ATT—74,744

TEAM STATISTICS

	KC	Den
First downs	18	16
Total net yards	307	342
Net yards rushing	74	77
Net yards passing	233	265
Total plays	62	57
Passes	34-18-1	24-16-0
Return yards	53	90
Penalty yards	29	68

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Kansas City

RUSHING—Hadnot 7-15, Delaney 11-36, Fuller 2-17, B. Jackson 4-6. **PASSING**—Fuller 18-34-1, 261 yards. **RECEIVING**—Smith 4-61, Hadnot 3-40, Delaney 2-20, Dixon 6-86, Murphy 1-14, Rome 2-40.

Denver

RUSHING—Reed 4-(-5), Preston 13-38, Parros 7-26, Lytle 3-7, Canada 1-2, Upchurch 1-9. **PASSING**—Morton 16-24-0, 281 yards. **RECEIVING**—Watson 2-103, Upchurch 4-70, Egloff 2-27, J. Wright 1-6, Parros 2-24, Reed 2-8, Studdard 1-10, Preston 2-33.

BRONCOS 23, SEAHAWKS 13 Sunday, December 13 at Denver

Seattle	0	3	3	7	—	13
Denver	7	3	6	7	—	23

Den—Odoms 22 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)
Sea—Alvarez 28 FG
Den—Steinfort 33 FG
Den—Steinfort 43 FG
Den—Steinfort 24 FG
Sea—Alvarez 20 FG
Den—Parros 8 run (Steinfort kick)
Sea—Hughes 5 pass from Krieg (Alvarez kick)
ATT—74,527

TEAM STATISTICS

	Sea	Den
First downs	18	23
Total net yards	272	373
Net yards rushing	73	237
Net yards passing	199	136
Total plays	69	72
Passes	40-18-0	30-15-2
Return yards	129	60
Penalty yards	70	99

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Seattle

RUSHING—T. Brown 11-12, Doornink 6-22, Krieg 4-21, Largent 2-21, West 1-(-13), Hughes 1-4, Smith 2-6. **PASSING**—Krieg 18-40-0, 219 yards. **RECEIVING**—Doornink 4-23, Smith 5-46, McCullum 3-39, Largent 3-72, T. Brown 1-8, Sawyer 1-26, Hughes 1-5.

Denver

RUSHING—Lytle 8-41, Canada 3-18, Preston 13-59, Parros 16-82, Upchurch 1-37. **PASSING**—Morton 15-30-2, 144 yards. **RECEIVING**—Odoms 2-38, Egloff 3-17, Lytle 4-30, Parros 1-19, Canada 1-14, Preston 2-16, Upchurch 2-10.

BEARS 35, BRONCOS 24

Sunday, December 20 at Chicago

Denver	3	0	14	7	—	24
Chicago	0	14	14	7	—	35
Den—Steinfort 46 FG						
Chi—Payton 19 pass from Evans (Roveto kick)						
Chi—Harper 4 run (Roveto kick)						
Chi—Fencik 69 interception return (Roveto kick)						
Den—Odoms 6 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)						
Chi—Harris 44 interception return (Roveto kick)						
Den—Upchurch 25 pass from DeBerg (Steinfort kick)						
Chi—Payton 7 pass from Evans (Roveto kick)						
Den—Upchurch 39 pass from DeBerg (Steinfort kick)						
ATT—40,125						

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Chi
First downs	19	15
Total net yards	298	281
Net yards rushing	76	170
Net yards passing	222	111
Total plays	74	62
Passes	49-22-3	20-10-2
Return yards	161	217
Penalty yards	74	101

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Preston 6-25, Parros 3-20, Lytle 4-14, Canada 5-17, Reed 1-0. **PASSING**—Morton 8-23-3, 88 yards, DeBerg 14-26-0, 190 yards. **RECEIVING**—Preston 5-55, Egloff 3-21, Upchurch 6-102, Odoms 1-6, Watson 6-82, Moses 1-12.

Chicago

RUSHING—Harper 15-48, Payton 19-62, Evans 6-50, Baschnagel 1-10. **PASSING**—Evans 10-20-2, 118 yards. **RECEIVING**—Payton 3-42, Margerum 3-28, Williams 1-4, Watts 2-42, Harper 1-2.

1981 FINAL STANDINGS

American Football Conference

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Miami	11	4	1	.719	345	275
#N.Y. Jets	10	5	1	.656	355	287
#Buffalo	10	6	0	.625	311	276
Baltimore	2	14	0	.125	259	533
New England	2	14	0	.125	322	370

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Cincinnati	12	4	0	.750	421	304
Pittsburgh	8	8	0	.500	356	297
Houston	7	9	0	.438	281	355
Cleveland	5	11	0	.313	276	375

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*San Diego	10	6	0	.625	478	390
Denver	10	6	0	.625	321	289
Kansas City	9	7	0	.563	343	290
Oakland	7	9	0	.438	273	343
Seattle	6	10	0	.375	322	388

National Football Conference

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Dallas	12	4	0	.750	367	277
#Philadelphia	10	6	0	.625	368	221
#N.Y. Giants	9	7	0	.563	295	257
Washington	8	8	0	.500	347	349
St. Louis	7	9	0	.438	315	408

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Tampa Bay	9	7	0	.563	315	268
Detroit	8	8	0	.500	397	322
Green Bay	8	8	0	.500	324	361
Minnesota	7	9	0	.438	325	369
Chicago	6	10	0	.375	253	324

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*San Francisco	13	3	0	.813	357	250
Atlanta	7	9	0	.438	426	355
Los Angeles	6	10	0	.375	303	351
New Orleans	4	12	0	.250	207	378

*Division Champion

#Wild Card for Playoffs

NOTE: San Diego won AFC Western title over Denver on the basis of a better division record (6-2 to 5-3). Buffalo won a Wild Card playoff berth over Denver due to 9-7 victory in head-to-head meeting (10/25).

1981 NFL AT A GLANCE

(Announced attendance in parentheses, home team in capitals)

Sunday, December 27

AFC First Round: Buffalo 31, NEW YORK JETS 27 (57,050)
NFC First Round: New York Giants 27, PHILADELPHIA 27 (71,611)

Saturday, January 2

AFC Divisional Playoff: San Diego 41, MIAMI 38 (OT, 13:52) (73,735)
NFC Divisional Playoff: DALLAS 38, Tampa Bay 0 (64,848)

Sunday, January 3

AFC Divisional Playoff: CINCINNATI 28, Buffalo 21 (55,420)
NFC Divisional Playoff: SAN FRANCISCO 38, New York Giants 24 (58,360)

Sunday, January 10

AFC Ch'ship Game: CINCINNATI 27, San Diego 7 (46,302)
NFC Ch'ship Game: SAN FRANCISCO 28, Dallas 27 (60,525)

Sunday, January 24

Super Bowl XVI: San Francisco 26, CINCINNATI 21 (81,270) at Silverdome, Pontiac, Michigan

Sunday, January 31

Pro Bowl: AFC 16, NFC 13 (50,402) at Aloha Stadium, Honolulu, Hawaii

1981 NFL PAID ATTENDANCE IS RECORD 13,606,990 FOR HIGHEST AVERAGE EVER OF 60,745 FOR 224 GAMES

Official National Football League figures revealed that the NFL set a paid attendance record during the 1981 season.

Total paid attendance for 224 regular season games was 13,606,990 for an average of 60,745, the highest in the league's 62-year history and the first time the average has exceeded 60,000 in any season. The 1981 total bettered the previous record of 13,392,230 set in 1980. The 1981 record total represents 93.80 percent of NFL stadia capacity.

Paid attendance at all NFL games—including preseason, regular and postseason—surpassed 17 million for the first time. The total for 291 games was a record 17,223,212 for an average of 59,186.

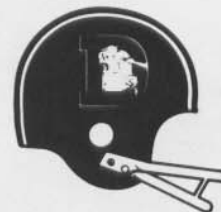
Paid attendance for 10 postseason games was 637,763. The largest postseason crowd was the 81,270 that attended Super Bowl XVI at the Pontiac Silverdome and saw NFC Champion San Francisco defeat AFC Champion Cincinnati 26-21 for the NFL Championship and the Vince Lombardi Trophy.

The Detroit Lions led the NFL in home paid attendance with 612,635, followed closely by Buffalo with 612,276. Also over 600,000 were Cleveland at 611,884 and the New York Giants 604,294. Nine other teams exceeded 500,000, including Denver 596,344; Philadelphia 566,289; Tampa Bay 558,678; Los Angeles 538,407; Miami 512,645; Kansas City 512,505; Seattle 510,616; Dallas 508,352; and Chicago 507,163.

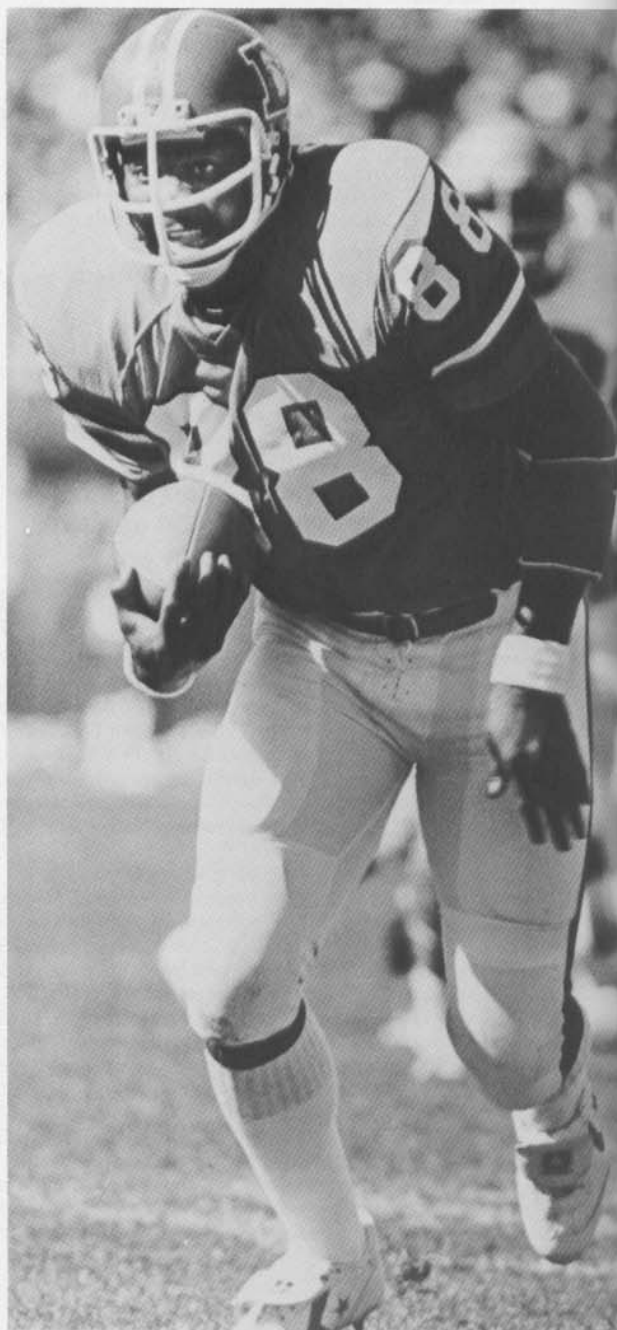
In the ninth season during which NFL games were made available to local television after selling out 72 hours in advance of kickoff, 160 of 224 regular season games were televised in the home team area. No-shows totaled 943,767 (7 percent).

1981 NFL ATTENDANCE BREAKDOWN

	Games	Attendance	Average	Compare 1980
AFC Preseason	10	478,920	47,692	
NFC Preseason	10	529,701	52,970	
AFC-NFC Preseason, Interconference	37	1,969,838	53,239	
NFL Preseason Total	57	2,978,459	52,254	2,807,467
AFC Regular Season	86	5,127,069		
NFC Regular Season	86	5,333,046		
AFC-NFC Regular Season, Interconference	52	3,146,875		
NFL Regular Season Total	224	13,606,990	60,745	13,392,230
AFC First Round Playoff (Buffalo-New York Jets)	1	59,067		
AFC Divisional Playoffs (San Diego-Miami) (Buffalo-Cincinnati)	2	74,233 59,032		
AFC Championship (San Diego-Cincinnati)	1	59,579		
NFC First Round Playoff (New York Giants- Philadelphia)	1	70,952		
NFC Divisional Playoffs (Tampa Bay-Dallas) (New York Giants-San Francisco)	2	63,510 58,657		
NFC Championship (Dallas-San Francisco)	1	61,061		
Super Bowl XVI at Pontiac, Mich.	1	81,270		
(San Francisco-Cincinnati)				
AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Honolulu, Hawaii	1	50,402		
Postseason Total	10	637,763	63,776	625,065
NFL All Games 1981	291	17,223,212	59,186	16,824,762



HISTORY AND RECORDS



Riley Odums, four-time Pro Bowl selection at tight end.

NOTABLE PERFORMANCES

THE LAST TIME . . .

PUNT RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN—

Broncos: Rick Upchurch, 75 yards, vs. San Diego, 9/17/78.
Opponent: Will Lewis, 75 yards, vs. Seattle, 11/23/80.

KICKOFF RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN—

Broncos: Randy Montgomery, 94 yards, at San Diego, 9/24/72.
Opponent: James Owens, 85 yards, at San Francisco, 11/18/79.

INTERCEPTION RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN—

Broncos: Don Latimer, 15 yards, vs. Seattle, 11/23/80.
Opponent: Al Harris, 44 yards, at Chicago, 12/20/81.

FUMBLE RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN (DEFENSE)—

Broncos: Bill Thompson, 32 yards, vs. Dallas, 9/14/80.
Opponent: Whitney Paul, 47 yards, at Kansas City, 10/18/81.

BLOCKED PUNT RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN—

Broncos: Rob Nairne, 22 yards, vs. New England, 11/11/79.
Opponent: Jim Stienke, 1 yard, vs. New York Giants, 11/21/76.

BLOCKED FIELD GOAL RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN—

Broncos: John Bramlett, 86 yards, vs. San Diego, 11/27/66.
Opponent: Les Duncan, 72 yards, at San Diego, 11/23/67.

SAFETY—

Broncos: Rulon Jones tackled Jim Zorn in end zone, vs. Seattle, 11/23/80.
Opponent: Willie Lanier tackled Otis Armstrong in end zone, vs. Kansas City, 11/18/74.

SHUTOUT—

Broncos: Denver 17, at Oakland 0, 10/4/81.
Opponent: Denver 0, at San Diego 23, 10/8/78.

100 YARDS RUSHING—

Broncos: Otis Armstrong, 25-106 yards, 1 TD, at New York Giants, 10/26/80.
Opponent: Joe Cribbs, 24-123, 0 TD, at Buffalo, 10/25/81.

300 YARDS PASSING—

Broncos: Steve DeBerg, 21-34, 305 yards, 2 TD, at Cincinnati, 11/22/81.
Opponent: Ken Anderson, 25-37, 396 yards, 3 TD, at Cincinnati, 11/22/81.

100 YARDS RECEIVING—

Broncos: Rick Upchurch, 6-102 yards, 2 TD, at Chicago, 12/20/81.
Opponent: Wes Chandler, 4-111, 0 TD, at San Diego, 11/29/81.

1,000-YARD RUSHING SEASONS

OTIS ARMSTRONG, 1974—1,407 yards and 9 TDs

		Carries	Yards	Cumulative
9/15	vs. Los Angeles	12	31	12-31
9/22	vs. Pittsburgh	19	131	31-162
9/30	at Washington	11	32	42-194
10/6	at Kansas City	14	48	56-242
10/13	vs. New Orleans	13	57	69-299
10/20	vs. San Diego	20	98	89-397
10/27	at Cleveland	17	142	106-539
11/3	vs. Oakland	20	88	126-627
11/10	at Baltimore	19	110	145-737
11/18	vs. Kansas City	16	55	161-792
11/24	at Oakland	29	146	190-938
11/28	at Detroit	24	144	214-1,082
12/8	vs. Houston	31	183	245-1,265
12/15	at San Diego	18	142	263-1,407

1,000-YARD RUSHING SEASONS (Continued)

FLOYD LITTLE, 1971 — 1,133 yards and 6 TDs

		Carries	Yards	Cumulative
9/19	vs. Miami	23	70	23-70
9/26	at Green Bay	16	53	39-123
10/3	vs. Kansas City	13	27	52-150
10/10	vs. Oakland	16	39	68-189
10/17	vs. San Diego	17	62	85-251
10/24	at Cleveland	25	113	110-364
10/31	at Philadelphia	24	123	134-487
11/7	vs. Detroit	22	91	156-578
11/14	vs. Cincinnati	22	101	178-679
11/21	at Kansas City	13	63	191-742
11/28	at Pittsburgh	22	91	213-833
12/5	vs. Chicago	29	125	242-958
12/12	at San Diego	18	96	260-1,054
12/19	at Oakland	24	79	284-1,133

100 YARD RUSHING GAMES (Continued)

Otis Armstrong	31-183, 3 TD	Dec. 8, 1974 vs. Houston
Otis Armstrong	18-142, 0 TD	Dec. 15, 1974 at San Diego
Jon Keyworth	20-132, 0 TD	Nov. 30, 1975, vs. San Diego
Otis Armstrong	16-101, 1 TD	Oct. 24, 1976 at Kansas City
Otis Armstrong	18-116, 0 TD	Nov. 7, 1976 vs. Tampa Bay
Otis Armstrong	26-116, 1 TD	Dec. 12, 1976 at Chicago
Norris Weese	12-120, 0 TD	Dec. 12, 1976 at Chicago
Otis Armstrong	21-120, 0 TD	Nov. 20, 1977 at Kansas City
Rob Lytle	16-110, 1 TD	Nov. 19, 1978 vs. Green Bay
Rob Lytle	18-102, 1 TD	Nov. 25, 1979 vs. Oakland
Otis Armstrong	22-107, 1 TD	Oct. 13, 1980 vs. Washington
Otis Armstrong	25-106, 1 TD	Oct. 26, 1980 at New York Giants

TOTALS—Floyd Little 15, Otis Armstrong 13, Billy Joe 2, Cookie Gilchrist 2, Jon Keyworth 2, Rob Lytle 2, Donnie Stone 1, Bobby Anderson 1, Joe Dawkins 1, Norris Weese 1.

300-YARD PASSING GAMES

OTIS ARMSTRONG, 1976 — 1,008 yards and 5 TDs

		Carries	Yards	Cumulative
9/12	at Cincinnati	24	96	24-96
9/19	vs. New York Jets	17	94	41-190
9/26	vs. Cleveland	18	23	59-213
10/3	vs. San Diego	23	91	82-304
10/10	at Houston	12	47	94-351
10/17	vs. Oakland	21	70	115-421
10/24	at Kansas City	16	101	131-522
10/31	at Oakland	14	63	145-585
11/7	vs. Tampa Bay	18	116	163-701
11/14	at San Diego	13	35	176-736
11/21	vs. New York Giants	24	97	200-833
11/28	at New England	4	14	204-847
12/5	vs. Kansas City	17	45	221-892
12/12	at Chicago	26	116	247-1,008

Player	Performance	Opponent
Frank Tripucka	30-52-2, 375 yards and 3 TD	Nov. 6, 1960 vs. Houston
Frank Tripucka	19-41-5, 328 yards and 3 TD	Nov. 27, 1960 vs. Buffalo
Frank Tripucka	28-47-2, 376 yards and 2 TD	Sept. 7, 1962 vs. San Diego
Frank Tripucka	29-56-3, 447 yards and 2 TD	Sept. 15, 1962 at Buffalo
Frank Tripucka	26-40-1, 308 yards and 1 TD	Oct. 21, 1962 vs. Houston
Jacky Lee	11-36-1, 370 yards and 1 TD	Dec. 5, 1965 at Oakland
John McCormick	13-37-3, 328 yards and 3 TD	Dec. 18, 1966 at Buffalo
Marlin Briscoe	12-29-2, 335 yards and 4 TD	Nov. 24, 1968 vs. Buffalo
Steve Tensi	19-26-1, 301 yards and 3 TD	Nov. 23, 1969 at San Diego
Charley Johnson	20-28-0, 361 yards and 2 TD	Oct. 22, 1972 at Oakland
Charley Johnson	24-39-2, 326 yards and 1 TD	Sept. 20, 1973 vs. Chicago
Charley Johnson	28-42-2, 445 yards and 2 TD	Nov. 18, 1974 vs. Kansas City
Charley Johnson	12-20-2, 329 yards and 3 TD	Sept. 21, 1975 vs. Kansas City
Craig Morton	17-18-0, 308 yards and 4 TD	Sept. 27, 1981 vs. San Diego
Craig Morton	25-38-1, 342 yards and 2 TD	Oct. 18, 1981 at Kansas City
Steve DeBerg	21-34-2, 305 yards and 2 TD	Nov. 22, 1981 at Cincinnati

TOTALS—Frank Tripucka 5, Charley Johnson 4, Craig Morton 4, Steve DeBerg 1, Jacky Lee 1, John McCormick 1, Marlin Briscoe 1, Steve Tensi 1.

100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

Player	Performance	Opponent
Don Stone	17-104, 1 TD	Oct. 6, 1963 vs. San Diego
Billy Joe	20-105, 0 TD	Nov. 17, 1963 vs. New York
Billy Joe	16-108, 1 TD	Nov. 15, 1964 vs. New York
Cookie Gilchrist	32-142, 0 TD	Sept. 24, 1965 at Boston
Cookie Gilchrist	16-119, 0 TD	Nov. 14, 1965 at Houston
Floyd Little	25-126, 1 TD	Oct. 27, 1968 vs. Miami
Floyd Little	30-147, 1 TD	Nov. 3, 1968 at Boston
Floyd Little	21-105, 1 TD	Sept. 14, 1969 vs. Boston
Floyd Little	15-104, 1 TD	Sept. 21, 1969 vs. New York Jets
Floyd Little	29-166, 1 TD	Oct. 19, 1969 at Cincinnati
Floyd Little	16-140, 1 TD	Oct. 25, 1970 at San Francisco
Bobby Anderson	25-106, 1 TD	Oct. 17, 1971 vs. San Diego
Floyd Little	25-113, 1 TD	Oct. 24, 1971 at Cleveland
Floyd Little	24-123, 1 TD	Oct. 31, 1971 at Philadelphia
Floyd Little	22-101, 0 TD	Nov. 14, 1971 vs. Cincinnati
Floyd Little	29-125, 0 TD	Dec. 5, 1971 vs. Chicago
Floyd Little	22-101, 0 TD	Sept. 17, 1972 vs. Houston
Floyd Little	18-100, 2 TD	Oct. 15, 1972 vs. Minnesota
Floyd Little	14-124, 1 TD	Nov. 5, 1972 at New York Giants
Joe Dawkins	30-117, 0 TD	Oct. 28, 1973 at New York Jets
Floyd Little	19-123, 1 TD	Oct. 14, 1973 at Houston
Floyd Little	22-109, 2 TD	Nov. 11, 1973 vs. San Diego
Otis Armstrong	19-131, 0 TD	Sept. 22, 1974 vs. Pittsburgh
Otis Armstrong	17-142, 1 TD	Oct. 27, 1974 at Cleveland
Otis Armstrong	19-110, 1 TD	Nov. 10, 1974 at Baltimore
Otis Armstrong	29-146, 0 TD	Nov. 24, 1974 at Oakland
Jon Keyworth	15-148, 1 TD	Nov. 24, 1974 at Oakland
Otis Armstrong	24-144, 1 TD	Nov. 28, 1974 at Detroit

100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Player	Performance	Opponent
Al Carmichael	6-130, 1 TD	Sept. 9, 1960 at Boston
Lionel Taylor	6-125, 1 TD	Sept. 23, 1960 at New York
Lionel Taylor	7-101, 2 TD	Oct. 2, 1960 vs. Oakland
Al Carmichael	3-109, 2 TD	Oct. 23, 1960 vs. Boston
Lionel Taylor	10-106, 1 TD	Oct. 23, 1960 vs. Boston
Lionel Taylor	10-140, 1 TD	Nov. 6, 1960 vs. Houston
Al Carmichael	7-117, 2 TD	Nov. 6, 1960 vs. Houston
Lionel Taylor	10-138, 0 TD	Nov. 20, 1960 at Houston
Lionel Taylor	9-199, 3 TD	Nov. 27, 1960 vs. Buffalo
Lionel Taylor	9-171, 1 TD	Dec. 10, 1960 at Los Angeles
Lionel Taylor	7-132, 2 TD	Sept. 10, 1961 at Buffalo
Lionel Taylor	11-126, 0 TD	Sept. 24, 1961 at New York
Lionel Taylor	9-118, 0 TD	Oct. 1, 1961 at Oakland
Lionel Taylor	7-120, 1 TD	Oct. 8, 1961 vs. Dallas
Al Frazier	7-166, 1 TD	Oct. 15, 1961 vs. Oakland
Al Frazier	6-126, 1 TD	Oct. 22, 1961 vs. New York
Al Frazier	5-125, 1 TD	Nov. 12, 1961 vs. San Diego
Lionel Taylor	10-119, 0 TD	Nov. 12, 1961 vs. San Diego
Donnie Stone	9-137, 1 TD	Dec. 3, 1961 vs. Boston
Lionel Taylor	9-133, 0 TD	Sept. 15, 1962 at Buffalo
Al Frazier	4-125, 1 TD	Sept. 15, 1962 at Buffalo
Lionel Taylor	12-119, 0 TD	Sept. 21, 1962 at Boston
Jerry Tarr	4-152, 2 TD	Sept. 21, 1962 at Boston
Lionel Taylor	7-110, 0 TD	Dec. 9, 1962 at Dallas
Lionel Taylor	7-169, 1 TD	Sept. 29, 1963 vs. Boston
Lionel Taylor	7-142, 2 TD	Oct. 6, 1963 vs. San Diego
Bob Scarpitto	4-134, 2 TD	Oct. 13, 1963 vs. Houston

100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES (Continued)

Lionel Taylor	10-116, 1 TD
Gene Prebola	4-106, 1 TD
Lionel Taylor	8-149, 0 TD
Hewritt Dixon	4-109, 0 TD
Hewritt Dixon	5-121, 1 TD
Al Denson	3-113, 1 TD
Lionel Taylor	13-112, 0 TD
Bob Scarpitto	11-111, 1 TD
Bob Scarpitto	5-108, 2 TD
Lionel Taylor	9-172, 1 TD
Lionel Taylor	7-114, 0 TD
Lionel Taylor	11-141, 2 TD
Lionel Taylor	8-164, 0 TD
Wendell Hayes	5-126, 1 TD
Al Denson	5-158, 1 TD
Charlie Mitchell	4-126, 1 TD
Bob Scarpitto	5-123, 3 TD
Al Denson	4-131, 2 TD
Al Denson	7-134, 1 TD
Eric Crabtree	6-123, 1 TD
Al Denson	4-107, 1 TD
Al Denson	7-102, 2 TD
Eric Crabtree	8-107, 1 TD
Eric Crabtree	6-129, 1 TD
Al Denson	7-115, 0 TD
Eric Crabtree	7-113, 0 TD
Eric Crabtree	5-148, 1 TD
Jimmy Jones	8-128, 2 TD
Floyd Little	4-165, 1 TD
Al Denson	6-131, 2 TD
Mike Haffner	4-122, 0 TD
Al Denson	6-138, 1 TD
Mike Haffner	6-102, 1 TD
Al Denson	6-140, 2 TD
John Embree	9-122, 1 TD
Jerry Simmons	6-153, 0 TD
Rod Sherman	4-110, 0 TD
Jerry Simmons	6-118, 1 TD
Bobby Anderson	13-143, 0 TD
Riley Odoms	5-114, 1 TD
Haven Moses	5-108, 2 TD
Haven Moses	5-132, 0 TD
Floyd Little	7-127, 0 TD
Riley Odoms	7-125, 0 TD
Rick Upchurch	3-153, 1 TD
Haven Moses	5-168, 2 TD
Haven Moses	5-115, 0 TD
Haven Moses	5-101, 1 TD
Riley Odoms	7-165, 2 TD
Haven Moses	5-116, 1 TD
Riley Odoms	5-125, 0 TD
Haven Moses	4-107, 1 TD
Haven Moses	5-133, 1 TD
Riley Odoms	7-114, 0 TD
Haven Moses	5-103, 1 TD
Haven Moses	6-141, 0 TD
Riley Odoms	8-128, 1 TD
Steve Watson	7-143, 3 TD
Steve Watson	8-178, 2 TD
Steve Watson	5-182, 2 TD
Rick Upchurch	5-138, 0 TD
Steve Watson	5-102, 1 TD
Steve Watson	2-103, 0 TD
Rick Upchurch	6-102, 2 TD

TOTALS — Lionel Taylor 24, Al Denson 10, Haven Moses 10 (including one playoff game), Riley Odoms 6, Eric Crabtree 5, Steve Watson 5, A. Frazier 4, Bob Scarpitto 4, Al Carmichael 3, Rick Upchurch 3, Hewritt Dixon 2, Mike Haffner 2, Floyd Little 2, Jerry Simmons 2, Jimmy Jones 1, Gene Prebola 1, Jerry Tarr 1, Donnie Stone 1, Wendell Hayes 1, Charlie Mitchell 1, John Embree 1, Rod Sherman 1, Bobby Anderson 1.

ALL-TIME HONORS

1981 — Pro Bowl: Randy Gradishar, Bob Swenson, Billy Thompson, Steve Watson. All-NFL: Bob Swenson (AP, NEA, The Sporting News), Randy Gradishar (AP-2nd team, NEA-2nd team, Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News). All-AFC: Randy Gradishar (UPI), Billy Thompson (UPI), Steve Watson (UPI), Bob Swenson (UPI-2nd team), Louis Wright (UPI-2nd team). Hartman Award Winners: Steve Watson, Bob Swenson, Jim Ryan, Bob Peck Memorial Award (Most Inspirational Player): Tom Jackson.

1980 — All NFL: Randy Gradishar (The Sporting News), Fred Steinfert (Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News). All-AFC: Fred Steinfert (UPI), Pro Football Weekly Golden Toe Award Winner: Fred Steinfert. Hartman Award Winners: Bill Bryan, Randy Gradishar, Fred Steinfert.

1979 — Pro Bowl: Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Rick Upchurch, Louis Wright. All-NFL: Randy Gradishar (PFWA, Pro Football Weekly, AP-2nd team), Rick Upchurch (PFWA, Pro Football Weekly, AP-2nd team), Louis Wright (AP, NEA, PFWA, Pro Football Weekly). All-AFC: Randy Gradishar (Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News, UPI-2nd team), Bob Swenson (UPI-2nd team), Rick Thompson (UPI), Bill Upchurch (Pro Football Weekly), Louis Wright (UPI, Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News). Hartman Award Winners: Craig Morton, Bob Swenson, Larry Canada.

1978 — Pro Bowl: Lyle Alzado, Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Riley Odoms, Bill Thompson, Rick Upchurch, Louis Wright. All-NFL: Lyle Alzado (AP), Randy Gradishar (AP, PFWA, PFW, NEA), Tom Jackson (AP), Rick Upchurch (AP, PFWA, PFW), Louis Wright (AP, PFWA, PFW, NEA), All-AFC: Lyle Alzado (UPI, PFW, TSN), Steve Foley (UPI), Randy Gradishar (UPI, PFW, TSN), Tom Jackson (UPI), Bill Thompson (UPI, PFW, TSN), Rick Upchurch (PFW), Louis Wright (UPI, PFW, TSN). NFL Defensive Player of the Year: Randy Gradishar (AP, PFW, NEA). AFC Defensive Player of the Year: Randy Gradishar (UPI, Kansas City 101 Club). Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Randy Gradishar. Hartman Award Winners: Riley Odoms, Randy Gradishar, Maurice Harvey.

1977 — Pro Bowl: Lyle Alzado, Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Billy Thompson, Louis Wright. All-NFL: Lyle Alzado (AP, UPI, PFW), Randy Gradishar (AP, UPI, PFW), Tom Jackson (AP, UPI, PFW), Billy Thompson (AP). All-AFC: Louis Wright (PFW), Billy Thompson (PFW). AFC Defensive Player of the Year: Lyle Alzado (Kansas City 101 Club). Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Craig Morton. Hartman Award Winners: Craig Morton, Tom Jackson, Rick Upchurch.

1976 — Pro Bowl: Rick Upchurch, Otis Armstrong. All-NFL: Rick Upchurch. Hartman Award Winners: Riley Odoms, Tom Jackson, Rick Upchurch.

1975 — Pro Bowl: Randy Gradishar, Riley Odoms. All-Pro: Riley Odoms. Hartman Award Winners: Bobby Maples, Lyle Alzado, Jim Turner.

1974 — Pro Bowl: Otis Armstrong, Riley Odoms. All-Pro: Riley Odoms, Otis Armstrong. Hartman Award Winners: Otis Armstrong, Tom Jackson, Ken Criter.

1973 — Pro Bowl: Floyd Little, Haven Moses, Paul Smith, Riley Odoms. All-Pro: Riley Odoms. Hartman Award Winners: Charley Johnson, Paul Smith. Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Paul Smith.

1972 — Pro Bowl: Floyd Little, Paul Smith. Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Floyd Little.

1971 — Pro Bowl: Floyd Little, Rich Jackson.

1970 — Pro Bowl: Rich Jackson. All-Pro: Rich Jackson. Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Rich Jackson.

1969 — All-AFL: Floyd Little, Rich Jackson. AFL All-Star Game: Rich Jackson, Al Denson, Mike Current, George Goeddeke, Floyd Little, Dave Costa.

1968 — All-AFL: Rich Jackson. AFL All-Star Game: Floyd Little, Dave Costa, Rich Jackson.

1967 — AFL All-Star Game: Al Denson, Larry Kaminski, Dave Costa, Nemiah Wilson.

1966 — All-AFL: Bob Scarpitto. AFL All-Star Game: Bob Scarpitto, Jerry Sturm, Goose Gonsoulin, John Bramlett.

1965 — All-AFL: Cookie Gilchrist, Lionel Taylor, Eldon Danenhauer. AFL All-Star Game: Eldon Danenhauer, Cookie Gilchrist.

1964 — All-AFL: Willie Brown. AFL All-Star Game: Willie Brown, Jerry Sturm, Goose Gonsoulin, Jim Fraser.

1963 — All-AFL: Goose Gonsoulin. AFL All-Star Game: Bud McFadin, Goose Gonsoulin.

1962 — All-AFL: Bud McFadin, Goose Gonsoulin, Eldon Danenhauer, Bob Zeman. AFL All-Star Game: Eldon Danenhauer, Bud McFadin, Gene Mingo, Bob Zeman, Goose Gonsoulin, Jim Fraser, Lionel Taylor, Frank

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1961—All-AFL: Lionel Taylor, Bud McFadin. AFL All-Star Game: Bud McFadin, Ken Adamson, Goose Gonsoulin, Don Stone.

1960—All-AFL: Lionel Taylor, Bud McFadin, Goose Gonsoulin.

ALL-TIME SCORES

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS

1960			1961		
Coach: Frank Filchock			Coach: Frank Filchock		
4-9-1	Attend.		3-11-0	Attend.	
13 At Boston	10 21,597		22 At Buffalo	10 16,636	
27 At Buffalo	21 15,229		17 At Boston	45 14,479	
24 At New York	28 20,462		28 At New York	35 14,381	
31 Oakland	14 18,372		19 At Oakland	33 8,361	
19 Los Angeles	23 19,141		12 Dallas	19 14,500	
31 Boston	24 12,683		27 Oakland	24 11,129	
14 Dallas	17 13,002		27 New York	10 12,508	
25 Houston	45 14,489		0 At San Diego	37 32,584	
7 At Dallas	34 21,000		14 Houston	55 11,564	
10 At Houston	20 20,778		16 San Diego	19 7,859	
38 Buffalo	38 7,785		10 Buffalo	23 7,645	
27 New York	30 5,861		14 At Houston	45 27,874	
33 At Los Angeles	41 9,928		24 Boston	28 9,303	
10 At Oakland	48 7,000		21 At Dallas	49 8,000	

1962			1963		
Coach: Jack Faulkner			Coach: Jack Faulkner		
7-7-0	Attend.		2-11-1	Attend.	
30 San Diego	21 28,000		7 Kansas City	59 21,115	
23 At Buffalo	20 30,577		14 At Houston	20 23,047	
16 At Boston	41 21,038		14 Boston	10 18,636	
32 At New York	10 17,213		50 San Diego	34 19,137	
44 Oakland	7 22,452		24 Houston	33 24,896	
23 At Oakland	6 7,000		21 At Boston	40 25,418	
20 Houston	10 34,496		35 At New York	35 22,553	
38 Buffalo	45 26,051		28 Buffalo	30 19,424	
23 At San Diego	20 20,827		17 At Buffalo	27 30,989	
29 Boston	33 28,187		9 New York	14 14,247	
3 Dallas	24 23,523		10 Oakland	26 14,763	
45 New York	46 15,776		21 At Kansas City	52 17,433	
17 At Houston	34 30,650		31 At Oakland	35 15,223	
10 At Dallas	17 19,137		20 At San Diego	58 31,312	

1964			1965		
Coach: Jack Faulkner (4 games) and Mac Speedie (10 games)			Coach: Mac Speedie		
2-11-1	Attend.		4-10-0	Attend.	
6 At New York	30 45,665		31 At San Diego	34 27,022	
13 At Buffalo	30 25,141		15 Buffalo	30 30,656	
17 Houston	38 22,155		27 At Boston	10 26,782	
10 Boston	39 17,851		16 New York	13 34,988	
33 Kansas City	27 16,885		23 Kansas City	31 31,001	
14 At San Diego	42 23,242		28 Houston	17 32,492	
7 At Oakland	40 16,825		13 At Buffalo	31 45,046	
39 Kansas City	49 15,053		10 At New York	45 55,572	
20 San Diego	31 19,670		21 San Diego	35 33,073	
20 New York	16 11,309		31 At Houston	21 28,126	
7 At Boston	12 24,979		20 Oakland	28 30,369	
20 Oakland	20 15,958		13 At Oakland	24 19,023	
19 Buffalo	30 14,431		20 Boston	28 27,207	
15 At Houston	34 15,839		35 At Kansas City	45 14,421	

1966			1967		
Coach: Mac Speedie (2 games) and Ray Malavasi (12 games)			Coach: Lou Saban		
4-10-0	Attend.		3-11-0	Attend.	
7 At Houston	45 30,156		26 Boston	21 35,488	
10 Boston	24 25,160		0 At Oakland	51 25,423	
7 New York	16 28,770		21 At Miami	35 29,381	
40 Houston	38 27,203		24 New York	38 35,565	
10 At Kansas City	37 33,929		6 At Houston	10 21,798	
7 At Miami	24 23,393		16 Buffalo	17 35,188	
10 Kansas City	56 26,196		21 San Diego	33 34,465	
17 At San Diego	24 25,819		9 At Kansas City	52 44,002	
17 At Boston	10 18,154		17 Oakland	21 29,043	
3 Oakland	17 26,703		18 Houston	20 30,392	
20 San Diego	17 24,860		21 At Buffalo	20 30,891	
17 Miami	7 33,306		20 At San Diego	24 34,586	
10 At Oakland	28 31,765		33 At New York	24 61,615	
21 At Buffalo	38 40,583		24 Kansas City	38 31,660	

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS

1968			1969		
Coach: Lou Saban			Coach: Lou Saban		
5-9-0	Attend.		5-8-1	Attend.	
10 At Cincinnati	24 25,049		26 Boston	21 35,488	
2 At Kansas City	34 45,821		21 New York	19 50,583	
17 Boston	20 37,024		28 At Buffalo	41 40,302	
10 Cincinnati	7 41,257		13 Kansas City	26 50,564	
21 At New York	13 62,052		14 Oakland	24 49,511	
24 At San Diego	55 42,953		30 At Cincinnati	23 27,920	
21 Miami	14 44,115		21 At Houston	24 45,348	
35 At Boston	14 18,304		13 San Diego	0 45,511	
7 Oakland	43 50,002		10 At Oakland	41 54,416	
17 At Houston	38 36,075		20 Houston	20 45,002	
34 Buffalo	32 35,201		24 At San Diego	45 34,664	
23 San Diego	47 35,312		17 At Kansas City	31 48,773	
27 At Oakland	33 47,754		24 At Miami	27 25,332	
7 Kansas City	30 38,463		27 Cincinnati	16 42,196	

1970			1971		
Coach: Lou Saban			Coach: Lou Saban (9 games) and Jerry Smith (5 games)		
5-8-1	Attend.		4-9-1	Attend.	
25 At Buffalo	10 34,882		10 Miami	10 51,200	
16 Pittsburgh	13 50,705		13 At G. Bay (Milw.)	34 47,957	
26 Kansas City	13 50,705		3 Kansas City	16 51,200	
23 At Oakland	35 54,436		16 Oakland	27 51,200	
24 Atlanta	10 50,705		20 San Diego	16 51,200	
14 At San Francisco	19 39,515		27 At Cleveland	0 75,674	
3 Washington	19 50,705		16 At Philadelphia	17 65,358	
21 At San Diego	24 48,327		20 Detroit	24 51,200	
19 Oakland	24 50,959		10 Cincinnati	24 51,200	
31 At New Orleans	6 66,837		10 At Kansas City	28 49,945	
21 At Houston	31 35,733		22 At Pittsburgh	10 39,710	
0 At Kansas City	16 50,454		6 Chicago	3 51,200	
17 San Diego	17 50,959		17 At San Diego	45 44,347	
13 Cleveland	27 51,001		13 At Oakland	21 54,651	

1972			1973		
Coach: John Ralston			Coach: John Ralston		
5-9-0	Attend.		7-5-2	Attend.	
30 Houston	17 51,656		28 Cincinnati	10 49,059	
14 At San Diego	37 49,048		34 San Francisco	36 50,966	
24 Kansas City	45 51,656		14 Chicago	33 51,159	
10 At Cincinnati	21 55,812		14 At Kansas City	16 71,414	
23 Minnesota	23 51,656		48 At Houston	20 32,801	
30 At Oakland	23 53,551		23 Oakland	23 51,270	
20 Cleveland	27 51,656		40 at N.Y. Jets	28 55,108	
17 At N.Y. Giants	29 62,689		17 At St. Louis	17 46,567	
16 At Los Angeles	10 65,398		30 San Diego	19 51,034	
20 Oakland	37 51,656		23 At Pittsburgh	13 48,580	
20 At Atlanta	23 58,850		14 Kansas City	10 51,331	
21 At Kansas City	24 66,725		10 Dallas	22 51,508	
38 San Diego	13 51,473		42 At San Diego	28 44,954	
45 New England	21 51,656		17 At Oakland	21 51,910	

1974			1975		
Coach: John Ralston			Coach: John Ralston		
7-6-1	Attend.		6-8-0	Attend.	
10 Los Angeles	17 51,121		37 Kansas City	33 51,858	
35 Pittsburgh (OT)	35 51,068		23 Green Bay	13 51,621	
3 At Washington	30 54,395		14 At Buffalo	38 79,864	
17 At Kansas City	14 67,298		9 At Pittsburgh	20 49,164	
33 New Orleans	17 50,881		16 Cleveland	15 52,590	
27 San Diego	7 50,928		13 At Kansas City	26 70,043	
21 At Cleveland	23 60,478		17 Oakland	42 5,505	
17 Oakland	28 45,946		16 Cincinnati	17 49,919	
17 At Baltimore	6 33,244		27 At San Diego	17 26,048	
34 Kansas City	42 50,236		21 At Atlanta	35 28,686	
20 At Oakland	17 51,224		13 San Diego (OT)	10 46,802	
31 At Detroit	27 51,157		10 At Oakland	17 51,075	
37 Houston	14 47,142		25 Philadelphia	10 37,080	
0 At San Diego	17 36,571		13 At Miami	14 43,064	

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS

1976			1977		
Coach: John Ralston	9-5-0	Attend.	Coach: Red Miller	12-2-0	Attend.
7 At Cincinnati	17	53,464	7 St. Louis	0	75,000
46 New York Jets	3	62,669	26 Buffalo	6	74,885
44 Cleveland	13	62,975	24 At Seattle	13	53,100
26 San Diego	0	63,369	23 Kansas City	7	74,877
3 At Houston	17	47,928	30 At Oakland	7	53,614
10 Oakland	17	63,431	24 At Cincinnati	13	54,305
35 At Kansas City	26	57,961	14 Oakland	24	75,000
6 At Oakland	19	52,169	21 Pittsburgh	7	74,960
48 Tampa Bay	13	62,703	17 At San Diego	14	45,211
17 At San Diego	0	32,017	14 At Kansas City	7	54,050
14 New York Giants	13	63,151	27 Baltimore	13	74,928
14 At New England	38	61,128	24 At Houston	14	46,871
17 Kansas City	16	58,170	17 San Diego	9	74,933
28 At Chicago	14	44,459	6 At Dallas	14	63,752
			Playoffs		
			34 Pittsburgh	21	75,011
			20 Oakland	17	74,982
			Super Bowl		
			10 Dallas	27	76,400
1978			1979		
Coach: Red Miller	10-6-0	Attend.	Coach: Red Miller	10-6-0	Attend.
14 Oakland	6	74,904	10 Cincinnati	0	74,786
9 At Minnesota (OT)	12	46,508	9 Los Angeles	13	74,884
27 San Diego	14	74,983	20 At Atlanta (OT)	17	57,677
23 At Kansas City	17	60,593	37 Seattle	34	74,887
(OT)			3 At Oakland	27	52,631
28 Seattle	7	74,989	7 San Diego	0	74,987
0 At San Diego	23	50,077	24 At Kansas City	10	74,281
16 Chicago	7	75,008	7 At Pittsburgh	42	49,694
6 At Baltimore	7	54,057	20 Kansas City	3	74,900
20 At Seattle (OT)	17	62,948	10 New Orleans	3	74,482
28 New York Jets	31	74,983	45 New England	10	74,379
19 At Cleveland	7	70,856	38 At San Francisco	28	42,910
16 Green Bay	3	74,965	10 Oakland	14	74,186
14 At Detroit	17	71,785	19 At Buffalo	16	37,886
21 At Oakland	6	53,932	23 At Seattle	28	60,038
24 Kansas City	3	74,149	7 At San Diego	17	51,906
17 Pittsburgh	21	74,104	Playoffs		
Playoffs			7 At Houston	13	48,776
10 At Pittsburgh	33	48,921			
1980			1981		
Coach: Red Miller	8-8-0	Attend.	Coach: Dan Reeves	10-6-0	Attend.
6 at Philadelphia	27	70,307	9 Oakland	7	74,794
41 Dallas	20	74,919	10 at Seattle	13	58,511
13 San Diego	30	74,970	28 Baltimore	10	74,804
14 at New England	23	59,602	42 San Diego	24	74,844
19 at Cleveland	16	81,065	17 at Oakland	0	51,036
20 Washington	17	74,657	27 Detroit	21	74,816
17 Kansas City	23	74,459	14 at Kansas City	28	74,672
14 at N.Y. Giants	9	67,598	7 at Buffalo	9	77,757
16 Houston	20	74,717	19 Minnesota	17	74,834
20 at San Diego	13	51,435	23 Cleveland (OT)	20	74,855
31 New York Jets	24	72,114	24 at Tampa Bay	7	64,516
36 Seattle	20	73,274	21 at Cincinnati	38	57,207
3 at Oakland	9	51,583	17 at San Diego	34	51,533
14 at Kansas City	31	40,237	16 Kansas City	13	74,744
21 Oakland	24	73,974	23 Seattle	13	74,527
25 at Seattle	17	51,853	24 at Chicago	35	40,125

ALL-TIME PRE-SEASON RESULTS

1960 (0-5)		1961 (1-4)	
6 Boston 43 (Providence, R.I.)		13 At Dallas 31 (Midland, Tex.)	
14 Buffalo 31 (Rochester)		48 Oakland 21 (Spokane)	
3 At Houston 42		27 At Dallas 29 (Ft. Worth)	
0 Dallas 48 (Little Rock)		10 Houston 42 (Mobile)	
30 At Los Angeles 36		12 At Oakland 49	

ALL-TIME PRE-SEASON RESULTS (Continued)

1962 (2-2)		1963 (2-3)	
17 Houston 33 (Atlanta)		27 Houston 10	
24 At San Diego 31		10 At Oakland 35	
27 At Dallas 24		31 San Diego 25	
41 At Oakland 12 (Stockton, Calif.)		16 At Kansas City 30	
		14 Buffalo 21 (Winston-Salem)	
1964 (2-3)		1965 (1-4)	
20 At San Diego 34		24 Kansas City 30	
7 Oakland 20		27 Oakland 17 (Salt Lake City)	
32 At Houston 20		6 San Diego 21	
10 Kansas City 14 (Ft. Worth)		3 Houston 25 (San Antonio)	
28 Boston 17		20 Oakland 30 (Saramento)	
1966 (1-3)		1967 (3-1)	
30 Kansas City 32		2 Miami 19 (Akron)	
3 At Buffalo 25		13 Detroit 7	
28 Miami 16 (Memphis)		14 Minnesota 9	
21 Oakland 52		21 Oakland 17 (N. Platte, Neb.)	
1968 (2-3)		1969 (1-4)	
15 Cincinnati 13		6 At Minnesota 26	
16 Minnesota 39		22 New Orleans 28	
6 San Francisco 22		19 San Francisco 15	
6 San Diego 3 (San Antonio)		10 Boston 26 (Jacksonville)	
7 Oakland 23 (Portland)		11 At Cincinnati 13	
1970 (3-2)		1971 (1-4)	
26 St. Louis 16		13 Washington 17	
7 Baltimore 24		10 Atlanta 27 (Memphis)	
7 S. Francisco 23 (Eugene, Ore.)		17 San Francisco 33 (Spokane)	
30 Chicago 17		14 Minnesota 7	
16 Boston 14 (Salt Lake City)		17 At Chicago 33	
1972 (2-3)		1973 (2-3)	
0 At Washington 41		10 At Washington 14	
13 At St. Louis 17		38 St. Louis 17	
27 At San Francisco 24		7 At San Francisco 43	
49 New England 24		16 Buffalo 14	
13 Baltimore 20		10 Baltimore 17	
1974 (4-2)		1975 (3-3)	
19 New York Jets 41		20 Baltimore 23	
27 Minnesota 21		21 At New Orleans 24	
10 At San Francisco 3		27 Houston 21	
31 At Green Bay 21		13 At Chicago 0	
27 New England 21 (At Spokane)		10 At San Francisco 44	
14 Atlanta 20		21 St. Louis 17	
1976 (5-2)		1977 (5-1)	
10 Detroit 7 (Hall of Fame Game at Canton, Ohio)		14 Baltimore 8	
14 Chicago 15		15 St. Louis 7	
7 At San Francisco 17		10 At Atlanta 2	
13 At Dallas 9		24 At Philadelphia 28	
52 Seattle 7		27 At Seattle 10	
21 At St. Louis 17		20 At San Francisco 0	
30 Minnesota 17			

SERIES RECORDS (CONTINUED)

1978 (2-2)

- 17 At Houston 12
- 14 Dallas 21
- 23 At Buffalo 13
- 13 San Francisco 24

1980 (2-2)

- 17 Cincinnati 6
- 6 at New York Giants 9
- 13 Los Angeles 26
- 38 at Green Bay 0

1979

- 6 At Dallas 7
- 13 Washington 6
- 21 At San Francisco 0
- 20 New England 17 (OT)

1981 (2-2)

- 7 New York Jets 33
- 14 at Miami 24
- 17 Green Bay 7
- 24 at Cincinnati 20

REGULAR SEASON SERIES RECORDS

ATLANTA FALCONS

- 1970—At Den 24, Atl 10
- 1972—At Atl 23, Den 20
- 1975—At Atl 35, Den 21
- 1979—Den 20, At Atl 17 (OT)
- (Broncos 2, Falcons 2)

BALTIMORE COLTS

- 1974—Den 17, At Bal 6
- 1977—At Den 27, Bal 13
- 1978—At Bal 7, Den 6
- 1981—At Den 28, Bal 10
- (Broncos 3, Colts 1)

BUFFALO BILLS

- 1960—Den 27, At Buf 21
- 1960—At Den 38, Buf 38 (tie)
- 1961—Den 22, At Buf 10
- 1961—Buf 23, At Den 10
- 1962—Den 23, At Buf 20
- 1962—Buf 45, At Den 38
- 1963—Buf 30, At Den 28
- 1963—At Buf 27, Den 17
- 1964—At Buf 30, Den 13
- 1964—Buf 30, At Den 19
- 1965—Buf 30, At Den 15
- 1965—At Buf 31, Den 13
- 1966—At Buf 38, Den 21
- 1967—Buf 17, At Den 16
- 1967—Den 21, At Buf 20
- 1968—At Den 34, Buf 32
- 1969—At Buf 41, Den 28
- 1970—Den 25, At Buf 10
- 1975—At Buf 38, Den 14
- 1977—At Den 26, Buf 6
- 1979—Den 19, At Buf 16
- 1981—At Buf 9, Den 7
- (Broncos 8, Bills 13, 1 tie)

CHICAGO BEARS

- 1971—At Den 6, Chi 3
- 1973—Chi 33, At Den 14
- 1976—Den 28, At Chi 14
- 1978—At Den 16, Chi 7
- 1981—At Chi 35, Den 24
- (Broncos 3, Bears 2)

CINCINNATI BENGALS

- 1968—At Cin 24, Den 10
- 1968—At Den 10, Cin 7
- 1969—Den 30, At Cin 23
- 1969—At Den 27, Cin 16
- 1971—Cin 24, At Den 10
- 1972—At Cin 21, Den 10
- 1973—At Den 28, Cin 10
- 1975—Cin 17, At Den 16
- 1976—At Cin 17, Den 7
- 1977—Den 24, At Cin 13
- 1979—At Den 10, Cin 0
- 1981—At Cin 38, Den 21
- (Broncos 6, Bengals 6)

CLEVELAND BROWNS

- 1970—Cle 27, At Den 13
- 1971—Den 27, At Cle 0
- 1972—Cle 27, At Den 20
- 1974—At Cle 23, Den 11
- 1975—At Den 16, Cle 15
- 1976—At Den 44, Cle 13
- 1978—Den 19, At Cle 7
- 1980—Den 19, At Cle 16
- 1981—At Den 23, Cle 20 (OT)
- (Broncos 6, Browns 3)

DALLAS COWBOYS

- 1973—Dal 22, At Den 10
- 1977—At Dal 14, Den 6
- 1980—At Den 41, Dal 20
- (Broncos 1, Cowboys 2)

DETROIT LIONS

- 1971—Det 24, At Den 20
- 1974—Den 31, At Det 27
- 1978—At Det 17, Den 14
- 1981—At Den 27, Det 21
- (Broncos 2, Lions 2)

GREEN BAY PACKERS

- 1971—At GB 34, Den 13
- 1975—At Den 23, GB 13
- 1978—At Den 16, GB 3
- (Broncos 2, Packers 1)

HOUSTON OILERS

- 1960—Hou 45, At Den 25
- 1960—At Hou 20, Den 10
- 1961—Hou 55, At Den 14
- 1961—At Hou 45, Den 14
- 1962—At Den 20, Hou 10
- 1962—At Hou 34, Den 17
- 1963—At Hou 20, Den 14
- 1963—Hou 33, At Den 24
- 1964—Hou 38, At Den 17
- 1964—At Hou 34, Den 15
- 1965—At Den 28, Hou 17
- 1965—Den 31, At Hou 21
- 1966—At Hou 45, Den 7
- 1966—At Den 40, Hou 38
- 1967—At Hou 10, Den 6
- 1967—Hou 20, At Den 18
- 1968—At Hou 38, Den 17
- 1969—At Hou 24, Den 21
- 1969—At Den 20, Hou 20
- 1970—At Hou 31, Den 21
- 1972—At Den 30, Hou 17
- 1973—Den 48, At Hou 20
- 1974—At Den 37, Hou 14
- 1976—At Hou 17, Den 3
- 1977—Den 24, At Hou 14
- 1980—Hou 20, At Den 16
- (Broncos 8, Oilers 17, 1 tie)

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS (Dallas Texans 1960-62)

- 1960—Dal 17, At Den 14
- 1960—At Dal 34, Den 7
- 1961—Dal 19, At Den 12
- 1961—At Dal 49, Den 21
- 1962—Dal 24, At Den 3
- 1962—At Dal 17, Den 10
- 1963—KC 59, At Den 7
- 1963—At KC 52, Den 21
- 1964—At Den 33, KC 27
- 1964—At KC 49, Den 39
- 1965—KC 31, At Den 23
- 1965—At KC 45, Den 35
- 1966—At KC 37, Den 10
- 1966—KC 56, At Den 10
- 1967—At KC 52, Den 9
- 1967—KC 38, At Den 24
- 1968—At KC 34, Den 2
- 1968—KC 30, At Den 7
- 1969—KC 26, At Den 13
- 1969—At KC 31, Den 17
- 1970—At Den 26, KC 13
- 1970—At KC 16, Den 0
- 1971—KC 16, At Den 3
- 1971—At KC 28, Den 10
- 1972—KC 45, At Den 24
- 1972—At KC 24, Den 21
- 1973—At KC 16, Den 14
- 1973—At Den 14, KC 10
- 1974—Den 17, At KC 14
- 1974—KC 42, At Den 34
- 1975—At Den 37, KC 33
- 1975—At KC 26, Den 13
- 1976—Den 35, At KC 26
- 1976—At Den 17, KC 16
- 1977—At Den 23, KC 7
- 1977—Den 14, At KC 7
- 1978—Den 23, At KC 17 (OT)
- 1978—At Den 24, KC 3
- 1979—Den 24, At KC 10
- 1979—At Den 20, KC 3

- 1980—KC 23, At Den 17
- 1980—At KC 31, Den 14
- 1981—At KC 28, Den 14
- 1981—At Den 16, KC 13
- (Broncos 14, Chiefs 30)

LOS ANGELES RAMS

- 1972—Den 16, At LA 10
- 1974—LA 17, At Den 10
- 1979—LA 13, At Den 9
- (Broncos 1, Rams 2)

MIAMI DOLPHINS

- 1966—At Mia 24, Den 7
- 1966—At Den 17, Mia 7
- 1967—At Mia 35, Den 21
- 1968—At Den 21, Mia 14
- 1969—At Mia 27, Den 24
- 1971—At Den 10, Mia 10
- 1975—At Mia 14, Den 13
- (Broncos 2, Dolphins 4, 1 tie)

MINNESOTA VIKINGS

- 1972—Min 23, At Den 20
- 1978—At Min 12, Den 9 (OT)
- 1981—At Den 19, Min 17
- (Broncos 1, Vikings 2)

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (Boston Patriots 1960-70)

- 1960—Den 13, At Bos 10
- 1960—At Den 31, Bos 24
- 1961—At Bos 45, Den 17
- 1961—Bos 28, At Den 24
- 1962—At Bos 41, Den 16
- 1962—Bos 33, At Den 29
- 1963—At Den 14, Bos 10
- 1963—At Bos 40, Den 21
- 1964—Bos 39, At Den 10
- 1964—At Bos 12, Den 7
- 1965—Den 27, At Bos 10
- 1965—Bos 28, At Den 20
- 1966—Bos 24, At Den 10
- 1966—Den 17, At Bos 10
- 1967—At Den 26, Bos 21
- 1968—Bos 20, At Den 17
- 1968—Den 35, At Bos 14
- 1969—At Den 35, Bos 7
- 1972—At Den 45, NE 21
- 1976—At NE 38, Den 14
- 1979—At Den 45, NE 10
- 1980—At NE 23, Den 14
- (Broncos 10, Patriots 12)

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

- 1970—Den 31, At NO 6
- 1974—At Den 33, NO 17
- 1979—At Den 10, NO 3
- (Broncos 3, Saints 0)

SERIES RECORD (CONTINUED)

NEW YORK GIANTS

1972—At NY 29, Den 17
1976—At Den 14, NY 13
1980—Den 14, At NY 9
(Broncos 2, Giants 1)

NEW YORK JETS

(New York Titans 1960-62)

1960—At NY 28, Den 24
1960—NY 30, At Den 27
1961—At NY 35, Den 28
1961—At Den 27, NY 10
1962—Den 32, At NY 10
1962—NY 46, At Den 45
1963—Den 35, NY 35
1963—NY 14, At Den 9
1964—At NY 30, Den 6
1964—At Den 20, NY 16
1965—At Den 16, NY 13
1965—At NY 45, Den 10
1966—NY 16, At Den 7
1967—NY 38, At Den 24
1967—Den 33, At NY 24
1968—Den 21, At NY 13
1969—At Den 21, NY 19
1973—Den 40, At NY 28
1976—At Den 46, NY 3
1978—NY 31, At Den 28
1980—At Den 31, NY 24
(Broncos 10, Jets 10, 1 tie)

OAKLAND RAIDERS

1960—At Den 31, Oak 14
1960—At Oak 48, Den 10
1961—At Oak 33, Den 19
1961—At Den 27, Oak 24
1962—At Den 44, Oak 7
1962—Den 23, At Oak 6
1963—Oak 26, At Den 10
1963—At Oak 35, Den 31
1964—At Oak 40, Den 7
1964—At Den 20, Oak 20
1965—Oak 28, At Den 20
1965—At Oak 24, Den 13
1966—Oak 17, At Den 3
1966—At Oak 28, Den 10
1967—At Oak 51, Den 0
1967—Oak 21, At Den 17
1968—Oak 43, At Den 7
1968—At Oak 33, Den 27
1969—Oak 24, At Den 14
1969—At Oak 41, Den 10
1970—At Oak 35, Den 23
1970—Oak 24, At Den 19
1971—Oak 27, At Den 16
1971—At Oak 21, Den 13
1972—Den 30, At Oak 23
1972—Oak 37, At Den 20
1973—At Den 23, Oak 23
1973—At Oak 21, Den 17
1974—Oak 28, At Den 17
1974—Den 20, At Oak 17
1975—Oak 42, At Den 17
1975—At Oak 17, Den 10
1976—Oak 17, At Den 10
1976—At Oak 19, Den 3
1977—Den 30, At Oak 7
1977—Oak 24, At Den 14
1978—At Den 14, Oak 6
1978—Den 21, At Oak 6

1979—At Oak 27, Den 3
1979—Oak 14, At Den 10
1980—Den 3, At Oak 9
1980—Oak 24, At Den 21
1981—At Den 9, Oak 7
1981—Den 17, At Oak 0
(Broncos 11, Raiders 31, 2 ties)

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

1971—At Phi 17, Den 16
1975—At Den 25, Phi 10
1980—At Phi 27, Den 6
(Broncos 1, Eagles 2)

PITTSBURGH STEELERS

1970—At Den 16, Pit 13
1971—Den 22, At Pit 10
1973—Den 23, At Pit 13
1974—At Den 35, Pit 35 (OT)
1975—At Pit 20, Den 9
1977—At Den 21, Pit 7
1978—Pit 21, At Den 17
1979—At Pit 42, Den 7
(Broncos 4, Steelers 3, 1 tie)

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS

(Los Angeles Chargers 1960)

1960—LA 23, At Den 19
1960—At LA 41, Den 33
1961—At SD 37, Den 0
1961—SD 19, At Den 16
1962—At Den 30, SD 21
1962—Den 23, At SD 20
1963—At Den 50, SD 34
1963—At SD 58, Den 20
1964—At SD 42, Den 14
1964—SD 31, At Den 20
1965—At SD 34, Den 31
1965—SD 35, At Den 21
1966—At SD 24, Den 17
1966—At Den 20, SD 17
1967—SD 38, At Den 21
1967—At SD 24, Den 20
1968—At SD 55, Den 24
1968—SD 47, At Den 23
1969—At Den 13, SD 0
1969—At SD 45, Den 24
1970—At SD 24, Den 21
1970—At Den 17, SD 17
1971—At Den 20, SD 16
1971—At SD 45, Den 17
1972—At SD 37, Den 14
1972—At Den 38, SD 13
1973—At Den 30, SD 19
1973—Den 42, At SD 28
1974—At Den 27, SD 7
1974—At SD 17, Den 0
1975—Den 27, At SD 17
1975—At Den 13, SD 10 (OT)
1976—At Den 26, SD 0
1976—Den 17, At SD 0
1977—Den 14, At SD 10
1977—At Den 17, SD 9
1978—At Den 27, SD 14
1978—At SD 23, Den 0
1979—At Den 7, SD 0
1979—At SD 17, Den 7

SERIES RECORD (CONTINUED)

1980—SD 30, At Den 13
1980—Den 20, At SD 13
1981—At Den 42, SD 24
1981—At SD 34, Den 17
(Broncos 20, Chargers 23, 1 tie)

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS

1973—Den 17, At SL 17
1977—At Den 7, SL 0
(Broncos 1, Cardinals 0, 1 tie)

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS

1976—At Den 48, TB 13
1981—Den 24, At TB 7
(Broncos 2, Buccaneers 0)

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS

1970—At SF 19, Den 14
1973—SF 36, At Den 34
1979—Den 38, At SF 28
(Broncos 1, 49ers 2)

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS

1977—Den 24, At Sea 13
1978—At Den 28, Sea 7
1978—Den 20, At Sea 17 (OT)
1979—At Den 37, Sea 34
1979—At Sea 28, Den 23
1980—At Den 36, Sea 20
1980—Den 25, At Sea 17
1981—At Sea 13, Den 10
1981—At Den 23, Sea 13
(Broncos 7, Seahawks 2)

WASHINGTON REDSKINS

1970—Was 19, At Den 3
1974—At Was 30, Den 3
1980—At Den 20, Was 17
(Broncos 1, Redskins 2)



BRONCOS COACHING HISTORY

BRONCO COACHING RECORDS

Season	Coach	Record	
1960	Frank Filchock	4-9-1	
1961	Frank Filchock	3-11-0	
	Filchock's totals	7-20-1	.268
1962	Jack Faulkner	7-7-0	
1963	Jack Faulkner	2-11-1	
1964	Jack Faulkner	0-4-0	
	Faulkner's totals	9-22-1	.297
1964	Mac Speedie	2-7-1	
1965	Mac Speedie	4-10-0	
1966	Mac Speedie	0-2-0	
	Speedie's totals	6-19-1	.250
1966	Ray Malavasi	4-8-0	
	Malavasi's totals	4-8-0	.333
1967	Lou Saban	3-11-0	
1968	Lou Saban	5-9-0	
1969	Lou Saban	5-8-1	
1970	Lou Saban	5-8-1	
1971	Lou Saban	2-6-1	
	Saban's totals	20-42-3	.331
1971	Jerry Smith	2-3-0	
	Smith's totals	2-3-0	.400
1972	John Ralston	5-9-0	
1973	John Ralston	7-5-2	
1974	John Ralston	7-6-1	
1975	John Ralston	6-8-0	
1976	John Ralston	9-5-0	
	Ralston's totals	34-33-3	.507
1977	Red Miller	12-2-0	
	Playoffs	2-1-0	
1978	Red Miller	10-6-0	
	Playoffs	0-1-0	
1979	Red Miller	10-6-0	
	Playoffs	0-1-0	
1980	Red Miller	8-8-0	
	Miller's totals	40-22-0	.645
		42-25-0	.627
1981	Dan Reeves	10-6-0	
	Reeves' totals	10-6-0	.625

ASSISTANT COACH ROSTER

Marv Braden 1977-1980; Ken Carpenter 1961; Jim Cason 1960; Max Coley 1972-1976; Joe Collier 1969-1981; Dick Coury 1972-1973; Kay Dalton 1974-1976; George Dickson 1964-1965; Dale Dodrill 1960-1963; 1966; Whitey Dovell 1967-1971, 1979-1980; Rod Dowhower 1980-1981; Hunter Enis 1967-1971; Jerry Frei 1972-1975, 1981; Bob Gambold 1972-1977; Mike Giddings 1976; Gary Glick 1962; Ken Gray 1977-1978; Bob Griffin 1966; Ed Hughes 1963; Charley Johnson 1976; Reed Johnson, 1981; Stan Jones 1967-1971, 1976-1981; Charlie Lee, 1981; Dick MacPherson 1967-1970; Ray Malavasi 1964-1966; Jim Martin 1962; Marv Matusak 1966; Richie McCabe 1978-1981; Bus Mertes 1965-1966; Bob Miller 1963-1965; Myrel Moore 1972-1977; Nick Nicolau, 1981; Babe Parilli 1977-1979; Fran Poltfoot 1977-1981; Paul Roach 1977-1980; Sam Rutigliano 1967-1970; Jerry Smith 1971; Mac Speedie 1962-1964; Doc Urich 1972-1976; Bob Zeman 1978-1981.

ATTENDANCE MARKS

BRONCOS LARGEST CROWDS

At Home — Mile High Stadium

75,011	vs. Pittsburgh (Playoffs)	Dec. 24, 1977
75,008	vs. Chicago	Oct. 16, 1978
75,007	vs. Oakland	Oct. 30, 1977
75,002	vs. St. Louis	Sept. 18, 1977
74,997	vs. San Diego	Oct. 7, 1979
74,989	vs. Seattle	Oct. 1, 1978
74,983	vs. San Diego	Sept. 17, 1978
74,983	vs. New York Jets	Nov. 5, 1978
74,982	vs. Oakland (Playoffs)	Jan. 1, 1978
74,970	vs. San Diego	Sept. 21, 1981
74,967	vs. Pittsburgh	Nov. 6, 1977
74,965	vs. Green Bay	Nov. 19, 1978
74,939	vs. Baltimore	Nov. 27, 1977
74,919	vs. Dallas	Sept. 14, 1981
74,908	vs. Kansas City	Oct. 28, 1979

On the Road

at Cleveland	Oct. 5, 1981
at Buffalo	Oct. 5, 1975
at Buffalo	Oct. 25, 1981
at New Orleans (Super Bowl XII)	Jan. 15, 1978
at Cleveland	Oct. 24, 1971
at Kansas City	Oct. 18, 1981
at Kansas City	Oct. 14, 1979
at Detroit	Nov. 23, 1978
at Kansas City	Oct. 7, 1973
at Cleveland	Nov. 12, 1978
at Philadelphia	Sept. 7, 1981
at Kansas City	Oct. 26, 1975
at New York Giants	Oct. 26, 1981
at Kansas City	Oct. 6, 1974
at New Orleans	Nov. 22, 1970

ATTENDANCE BY SEASON

Year	Home	Road	Total
1960	91,333	115,994	207,327
1961	74,508	122,315	196,823
1962	178,485	146,442	324,927
1963	132,218	165,995	298,213
1964	118,259	166,744	285,003
1965	219,786	215,992	435,778
1966	192,198	203,799	395,997
1967	231,801	247,696	479,497
1968	281,374	278,008	559,382
1969	326,851	276,755	603,606
1970	355,739	330,184	685,923
1971	358,400	377,642	736,042
1972	361,414	412,073	773,487
1973	356,327	351,334	707,661
1974	347,322	354,367	701,689
1975	342,375	347,944	690,319
1976	436,468	349,126	785,594
1977	524,595	370,917	895,512
1978	598,085	470,756	1,068,841
1979	597,521	427,040	1,024,561
1980	593,084	473,680	1,066,764
1981	*598,224	*475,360	*1,073,584
Totals	7,316,367	6,680,163	13,996,530

*Bronco records

ATTENDANCE (CONTINUED) SEASON TICKET SALES

1960 — 2,675	*1971 — 47,500
1961 — 5,775	*1972 — 48,000
1962 — 5,042	*1973 — 48,000
1963 — 7,624	*1974 — 49,000
1964 — 8,002	*1975 — 49,000
1965 — 22,905	*1976 — 62,215
1966 — 18,898	*1977 — 73,089
1967 — 24,650	*1978 — 73,092
1968 — 27,348	*1979 — 73,313
1969 — 31,936	*1980 — 73,298
1970 — 43,580	*1981 — 73,380

*Season tickets sold out. Since and including the 1970 season, every Bronco game at Mile High Stadium has been a sellout, giving the Broncos 88 consecutive sellouts in the regular season through the final game of the 1981 season.

BRONCOS STATISTICAL HISTORY

OFFENSE YEAR-BY-YEAR

	Total Plays	First Downs	Rush Yards	Pass Yards	Total Yards	Total Points
1960	958	248	1195	3247	4442	309
1961	934	219	1091	2720	3811	251
1962	885	270	1298	3404	4702	353
1963	832	230	1508	2487	3995	301
1964	905	211	1311	2021	3332	240
1965	959	255	1829	2640	4469	303
1966	816	171	1173	1995	3168	196
1967	852	172	1265	1682	2947	256
1968	897	217	1614	2357	3971	255
1969	841	243	1637	2524	4161	297
1970	883	217	1802	2025	3827	253
1971	891	217	2093	2065	4158	203
1972	831	237	1838	2634	4472	325
1973	893	253	1954	2519	4473	354
1974	861	258	2157	2328	4485	302
1975	964	268	1993	2541	4534	254
1976	901	239	1932	2204	4136	315
1977	887	223	2043	1863	3906	274
1978	1039	294	2451	2378	4829	282
1979	1044	306	2040	3102	5142	289
1980	992	286	1865	2777	4642	310
1981	1062	306	1895	3531	5426	321

DEFENSE YEAR-BY-YEAR

	Total Plays	First Downs	Rush Yards	Pass Yards	Total Yards	Total Points
1960	927	254	2145	2987	5132	393
1961	899	233	1633	2785	4418	432
1962	862	234	1868	2670	4538	332
1963	828	254	1687	3394	5081	473
1964	902	270	2064	2906	4970	438
1965	850	244	1337	2960	4297	392
1966	871	251	2029	2515	4544	381
1967	921	276	2076	3125	5201	409
1968	916	251	1861	3163	5024	404
1969	918	278	1709	2932	4641	344
1970	838	199	1351	2354	3705	264
1971	825	206	1834	1985	3819	275
1972	876	251	1668	2183	3851	350
1973	872	239	1795	2440	4235	296
1974	945	265	1808	2583	4391	294
1975	901	247	1974	2032	4006	307
1976	903	222	1709	2026	3735	206
1977	941	217	1530	2244	3774	148
1978	1016	251	1979	2469	4448	198
1979	1033	273	1693	3159	4852	262
1980	1043	303	2117	3125	5242	323
1981	999	268	1992	2868	4860	289

YEARLY LEADERS (CONTINUED)

Rushing

	Yards	Attempts	Average	TDs
1960	Rolle—501	Rolle—130	Mingo—3.9	Mingo—4
1961	Stone—505	Stone—127	Stone—4.0	Bukaty—5
1962	Stone—360	Stone—94	Stone—3.8	Mingo—4
1963	Joe—649	Joe—154	Joe—4.2	Joe—4
1964	Mitchell—590	Mitchell—177	Joe—3.7	Mitchell—5
1965	Gilchrist—954	Gilchrist—252	Hayes—4.1	Gilchrist—6
1966	Hayes—411	Haynes—129	Hayes—3.9	Haynes—2 Choboian—2
1967	Little—381	Little—130	Mitchell—3.8	Hickey—4 Hayes—4
1968	Little—584	Little—158	Little—3.7	Lynch—4
1969	Little—729	Little—146	Little—5.0	Little—6
1970	Little—901	Little—209	Anderson—4.4	Crenshaw—5
1971	Little—1133	Little—284	Dawkins—4.4	Little—6
1972	Little—859	Little—216	Anderson—4.4	Little—9
1973	Little—979	Little—256	Dawkins—4.4	Little—12
1974	Armstrong—1407	Armstrong—263	Armstrong—5.3	Keyworth—10
1975	Keyworth—725	Keyworth—182	Keyworth—4.0	Keyworth—3 Lynch—3
1976	Armstrong—1008	Armstrong—247	Armstrong—4.1	Armstrong—5
1977	Armstrong—489	Armstrong—130	Perrin—4.1	Armstrong—4
1978	Perrin—455	Armstrong—112 Keyworth—112	Canada—4.6	Perrin—4
1979	Armstrong—453	Armstrong—108	Armstrong—4.2	Lytle—4
1980	Jensen—476	Preston—111	Jensen—4.7	Armstrong—4 Preston—4
1981	Parros—749	Preston—183	Parros—4.3	Lytle—4

Passing

	Yards	Attempts	Completions
1960	Tripucka—3038	Tripucka—478	Tripucka—248
1961	Tripucka—1690	Tripucka—344	Tripucka—167
1962	Tripucka—2917	Tripucka—440	Tripucka—240
1963	Slaughter—1689	Slaughter—223	Slaughter—112
1964	Lee—1611	Lee—265	Lee—133
1965	McCormick—1292	McCormick—253	McCormick—103
1966	Choboian—1110	McCormick—193	Choboian—82
1967	Tensi—1915	Tensi—325	Tensi—131
1968	Briscoe—1589	Briscoe—224	Briscoe—93
1969	Tensi—1990	Tensi—286	Tensi—131
1970	Liske—1340	Liske—238	Liske—112
1971	Ramsey—1120	Ramsey—178	Horn—89
1972	Johnson—1783	Johnson—238	Johnson—132
1973	Johnson—2465	Johnson—346	Johnson—184
1974	Johnson—1969	Johnson—244	Johnson—136
1975	Ramsey—1562	Ramsey—233	Ramsey—128
1976	Ramsey—1931	Ramsey—270	Ramsey—128
1977	Morton—1929	Morton—254	Morton—131
1978	Morton—1802	Morton—267	Morton—146
1979	Morton—2626	Morton—370	Morton—204
1980	Morton—2150	Morton—301	Morton—183
1981	Morton—3195	Morton—376	Morton—225

	Pct.	TD	Int.
1960	Tripucka—519	Tripucka—24	Tripucka—34
1961	Tripucka—486	Tripucka—10	Herring—22
1962	Tripucka—545	Tripucka—17	Tripucka—25
1963	Slaughter—502	Slaughter—12	Slaughter—14
1964	Slaughter—513	Lee—11	Lee—20
1965	Slaughter—510	McCormick—7	McCormick—14
1966	Choboian—503	McCormick—6	McCormick—15
1967	Tensi—403	Tensi—16	Tensi—17
1968	Briscoe—415	Briscoe—14	Briscoe—13
1969	Tensi—458	Tensi—14	Tensi—12
1970	Liske—471	Liske—7	Liske—11
1971	Horn—514	Ramsey—5	Horn—14
1972	Johnson—555	Johnson—14	Johnson—14
1973	Johnson—532	Johnson—20	Johnson—17
1974	Johnson—557	Johnson—13	Johnson—9
1975	Ramsey—549	Ramsey—9	Ramsey—14
1976	Ramsey—474	Ramsey—11	Ramsey—13
1977	Morton—516	Morton—14	Morton—8
1978	Weese—632	Morton—11	Morton—8
1979	Morton—551	Morton—16	Morton—19
1980	Morton—608	Morton—12	Morton—13
1981	Morton—598	Morton—21	Morton—14

YEARLY LEADERS (CONTINUED)

Receiving

No.	Yards	Average	TD
1960	Taylor—92	Taylor—1235	Carmichael—19.3
1961	Taylor—100	Taylor—1176	Frazier—17.0
1962	Taylor—77	Taylor—908	Scarpitto—19.0
1963	Taylor—78	Taylor—1101	Groman—16.2
1964	Taylor—76	Taylor—873	Dixon—15.4
1965	Taylor—85	Taylor—1131	Scarpitto—18.3
1966	Haynes—46	Denson—725	Denson—20.1
1967	Denson—46	Denson—899	Denson—19.5
	Crabtree—46		Denson—11
1968	Crabtree—35	Crabtree—601	Denson—17.2
			Crabtree—5
1969	Denson—53	Denson—809	Embree—16.2
1970	Denson—47	Denson—646	Whalen—14.0
1971	Anderson—37	Simmons—403	Simmons—16.1
1972	Sherman—38	Sherman—661	Sherman—17.4
1973	Odoms—43	Odoms—629	Moses—18.5
1974	Odoms—42	Odoms—639	Moses—16.4
1975	Keyworth—42	Odoms—544	Moses—17.4
			Dolbin—3
1976	Armstrong—39	Moses—498	Moses—19.9
1977	Odoms—37	Moses—539	Moses—20.0
1978	Odoms—54	Odoms—829	Moses—20.1
1979	Upchurch—64	Moses—943	Moses—17.5
1980	Jensen—49	Moses—674	Moses—17.7
1981	Watson—60	Watson—1244	Watson—20.7

Interceptions

No.	Ref. Yards
1960	Gonsoulin—11
1961	Nugent—7
1962	Gonsoulin—7
1963	Gonsoulin—6
1964	Brown—9
1965	Gonsoulin—6
1966	Brown—3
	Sellers—3
1967	Sellers—7
1968	Jaquess—5
1969	Thompson—3
1970	Martha—6
1971	Thompson—5
1972	Mitchell—3
1973	Jones—4
1974	Jones—5
	Thompson—5
1975	Gradishar—3
1976	Jackson—7
1977	Thompson—5
1978	B. Jackson—6
	Foley—6
1979	Foley—6
1980	Foley—4
1981	Foley—5
	Wilson—153
	Jaquess—64
	Thompson—92
	Martha—99
	Thompson—83
	Preece—30
	Thompson—96
	Thompson—105
	Thompson—97
	Jackson—136
	Wright—128
	B. Jackson—128
	Thompson—57
	Foley—115
	Foley—81

Interception Returns For Touchdowns

Date	Opponent	Yards
Latimer	11/23/80	vs. Seattle
Gradishar	10/5/80	at Cleveland
T. Jackson	11/5/78	vs. New York Jets
T. Jackson	11/27/77	vs. Baltimore
Wright	10/16/77	at Oakland
Jackson	11/14/76	at San Diego
Rowser	11/7/76	vs. Tampa Bay
Gradishar	11/7/76	vs. Tampa Bay
Rowser	9/19/76	vs. N. Y. Jets
Gradishar	9/29/75	vs. Green Bay
Thompson	10/13/74	vs. New Orleans
Mitchell	10/28/73	at N.Y. Jets
Thompson	10/14/73	at Houston
Forsberg	10/24/71	at Cleveland
Burrell	12/7/69	at Miami
Thompson	11/16/69	vs. Houston
Wilson	12/17/67	vs. Kansas City
Wilson	10/22/67	vs. San Diego

YEARLY LEADERS (CONTINUED)

Interception Returns For Touchdowns

Date	Opponent	Yards
Sellers	9/3/67	vs. Boston
Bramlett	11/14/65	at Houston
Wilson	11/7/65	vs. San Diego
Griffin	10/17/65	vs. Houston
Janik	11/1/64	at Kansas City
Gonsoulin	10/6/63	vs. San Diego
McMillin	11/22/62	vs. New York
McGeever	10/5/62	vs. Oakland
Gonsoulin	10/5/62	vs. Oakland
Zeman	9/30/62	at New York
Yelverton	10/2/60	vs. Oakland
Pyeatt	9/18/60	at Buffalo

Other Defensive Returns For Touchdowns

Date	Opponent	Yards
Thompson (fumble)	9/14/80	vs. Dallas
Wright (fumble—lateral from Gradishar)	12/2/79	at Buffalo
Swenson (fumble)	11/18/79	at San Francisco
Nairne (blocked punt)	11/11/79	vs. New England
Carter (fumble)	11/11/79	vs. New England
Thompson (fumble—fumble by Swenson)	10/14/79	at Kansas City
Gradishar (fumble)	12/3/78	at Oakland
Thompson (fumble)	11/5/78	vs. New York Jets
Polt (fumble—lateral from Swenson)	11/7/76	vs. Tampa Bay
Jones (fumble)	9/23/76	vs. Cleveland
Smith (fumble)	11/23/75	at Atlanta
Thompson (fumble)	10/22/73	vs. Oakland
Bramlett (blocked FG)	11/27/66	vs. San Diego
Griffin (blocked punt)	10/17/65	vs. Houston
Bramlett (fumble)	9/24/65	at Boston
McMillin (fumble)	11/8/64	vs. San Diego
Cooke (fumble)	11/1/64	at Kansas City
McFadin (fumble)	10/13/63	vs. Houston
McMillin (fumble)	12/9/62	at Dallas
McFadin (fumble)	11/22/62	vs. New York
Gavin (blocked punt)	12/10/61	at Dallas

Punt Returns

No.	Yards	Average
1960	Carmichael—15	Carmichael—6.7
1961	Frazier—18	Frazier—12.8
1962	Mingo—7	Zeman—11.8
1963	Mitchell—12	Mingo—12.1
1964	Barry—16	Mitchell—12.0
1965	Barry—21	Barry—10.0
1966	Haynes—10	Haynes—11.9
1967	Little—16	Little—16.9
1968	Little—24	Little—10.9
1969	Thompson—25	Thompson—11.5
1970	Thompson—23	Thompson—10.1
1971	Thompson—29	Thompson—9.4
1972	Sherman—10	Sherman—8.9
1973	Thompson—30	Thompson—13.2
1974	Thompson—26	Thompson—13.5
1975	Upchurch—27	Thompson—12.2
1976	Upchurch—39	Upchurch—13.7
1977	Upchurch—51	Upchurch—12.8
1978	Upchurch—36	Upchurch—13.7
1979	Upchurch—30	Upchurch—10.1
1980	Upchurch—37	Upchurch—9.5
1981	Manning—41	Manning—9.2

YEARLY LEADERS (CONTINUED)

Kickoff Returns

	No.	Yards	Average
1960	Carmichael—22	Carmichael—581	Carmichael—26.0
1961	Frazier—18	Frazier—504	Frazier—28.0
1962	Frazier—19	Frazier—388	Frazier—20.4
1963	Mitchell—37	Mitchell—954	Mitchell—25.7
1964	Barry—47	Barry—1245	Barry—26.5
1965	Haynes—34	Haynes—901	Haynes—26.5
1966	Sellers—19	Sellers—540	Sellers—28.4
1967	Little—35	Little—942	Little—26.9
1968	Little—26	Little—649	Little—25.0
1969	Williams—23	Williams—574	Thompson—24.0
1970	Anderson—21	Anderson—520	Anderson—24.3
1971	Anderson—8	Little—199	Little—28.3
1972	Montgomery—29	Montgomery—756	Montgomery—26.0
1973	Armstrong—20	Armstrong—472	Armstrong—23.6
1974	Armstrong—16	Armstrong—386	Armstrong—24.1
1975	Upchurch—40	Upchurch—1084	Upchurch—27.1
1976	Upchurch—22	Upchurch—514	Perrin—27.9
1977	Upchurch—20	Upchurch—456	Upchurch—22.8
1978	Perrin—12	Perrin—256	Upchurch—27.1
1979	Pane—18	Pane—354	Pane—19.7
1980	Brunson—40	Brunson—923	Brunson—23.1
1981	Manning—26	Manning—514	Manning—19.8

Scoring

	TD	FG	Points
1960	Taylor—12	Mingo 18-28, .643	Mingo—123
1961	Frazier—8	Hill 5-15, .333	Frazier—50
	Stone—8		
1962	Scarpitto—6	Mingo 27-39, .692	Mingo—137
1963	Taylor—10	Mingo 16-30, .533	Mingo—83
1964	Taylor—7	Mingo 8-12, .667	Taylor—42
1965	Hayes—7	Kroner 13-29, .448	Kroner—71
	Gilchrist—7		
1966	Scarpitto—5	Kroner 14-25, .560	Kroner—62
1967	Denson—11	Humphreys 7-15, .467	Denson—66
1968	Crabtree—5	Howfield 9-18, .500	Howfield—57
	Little—5		
	Denson—5		
1969	Denson—10	Howfield 13-29, .448	Howfield—75
1970	Crenshaw—6	Howfield 18-32, .563	Howfield—81
1971	Little—6	Turner 25-38, .658	Turner—93
1972	Little—13	Turner 20-29, .690	Turner—97
1973	Little—13	Turner 22-33, .667	Turner—106
1974	Armstrong—12	Turner 11-21, .524	Armstrong—71
1975	*5 players—4	Turner 21-29, .724	Turner—86
1976	Moses—7	Turner 15-21, .714	Turner—81
1977	**5 players—4	Turner 13-19, .684	Turner—76
1978	Odoms—6	Turner 11-22, .500	Turner—64
1979	Upchurch—7	Turner 13-21, .619	Turner—71
1980	Odoms—6	Steinfert 26-34, .765	Steinfert—110
1981	Watson—13	Steinfert 17-30, .567	Steinfert—87

*Keyworth, Dolbin, Little, Lynch, Odoms.

**Armstrong, Moses, Morton, Perrin, Upchurch.

BRONCOS RECORDS

TOTAL OFFENSE

	Game	Season	Career
Plays	56—Tripucka	515—Tripucka, 1960	1,667—Morton, 1977-81
	at Buffalo 9/15/62	442—Tripucka, 1962	1,650—Little, 1967-75
	56—Slaughter	392—Morton, 1979	1,283—Tripucka, 1960-63
	at Houston 12/20/64		994—Johnson, 1972-75
Yards gained	55—Tripucka		
	vs. Houston 11/6/60		
	55—Liske		
	at Buffalo 9/28/69		
Ave. gain per play	447—Tripucka	3,213—Morton, 1981	11,944—Morton, 1977-81
	at Buffalo 9/15/62	3,036—Tripucka, 1960	7,651—Tripucka, 1960-63
	445—Johnson	2,902—Tripucka, 1962	7,255—Johnson, 1972-75
	vs. Kansas City 11/24/74	2,643—Morton, 1979	6,545—Ramsey, 1971-76
Ave. gain per play	376—Tripucka		
	vs. San Diego 9/7/62		
	(Min. of 10 plays)	(Min. of 125 plays)	(Min. of 200 plays)
	15.70—Morton vs. San Diego 9/27/81	8.37—Morton, 1981	7.30—Johnson, 1972-75
Ave. gain per play	14.20—Morton vs. Detroit 10/11/81	7.93—Johnson, 1974	7.16—Morton, 1977-81
	13.58—Johnson vs. Kansas City 9/21/75	7.53—Breaux, 1963	7.16—Briscoe, 1968

RUSHING

	Game	Season	Career
Yards gained	183—Armstrong	1,407—Armstrong 1974	6,323—Little, 1967-75
	vs. Houston 12/8/74	1,133—Little, 1971	4,453—Armstrong, 1973-80
	166—Little	1,008—Armstrong, 1976	2,653—Keyworth, 1974-80
	at Cincinnati 10/19/69		
Carries	148—Keyworth		
	at Oakland 11/24/74		
	32—Gilchrist	284—Little, 1971	1,641—Little, 1967-75
	at Boston 9/24/65	263—Armstrong, 1974	1,023—Armstrong, 1973-80
Ave. per carry	31—Armstrong	256—Little, 1973	699—Keyworth, 1974-80
	vs. Houston 12/8/74		
	30—Little		
	at Boston 11/3/68		
Ave. per carry	30—Dawkins		
	at N.Y. Jets 10/28/73		
	(Min. of 8 carries)	(Min. of 100 carries)	(Min. of 100 carries)
	11.00—Rolle	5.35—Armstrong, 1974	4.39—Dawkins, 1971-73
Ave. per carry	vs. Oakland 10/2/60	4.99—Little, 1969	4.35—Armstrong, 1973-80
	10.38—Joe	4.71—Jensen, 1980	4.20—Canada, 1978-79, 1981
	at Boston 10/18/63	4.62—Keyworth, 1974	
	10.33—Dawkins	4.62—Canada, 1978	
TDs	at Kansas City 10/7/73		
	3—Armstrong	12—Little, 1973	43—Little, 1967-75
	vs. Houston 12/8/74	10—Keyworth, 1974	25—Armstrong, 1973-80
	3—Keyworth	9—Little, 1972	22—Keyworth, 1974-80
Ave. per carry	vs. Kansas City 11/18/74	9—Armstrong, 1974	
	3—Little		
	vs. Cincinnati 9/16/73		

Other Rushing Records

- Longest scoring run—82, Mingo vs. Oakland, 10/5/62
80, Little at San Francisco, 10/25/70
72, Dawkins at Kansas City, 10/7/73
- Longest non-scoring run—68, Bell vs. Los Angeles, 10/16/60
63, Krieg vs. San Diego, 12/10/72
62, Perrin vs. Baltimore, 11/27/77

RUSHING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Top Ten Season Marks

	Attempts	Yards	Average	TDs
Otis Armstrong—1974	263	1407	5.3	9
Floyd Little—1971	284	1133	4.0	6
Otis Armstrong—1976	247	1008	4.1	5
Floyd Little—1973	256	979	3.8	12
Cookie Gilchrist—1965	252	954	3.8	6
Floyd Little—1970	209	901	4.3	3
Floyd Little—1972	216	859	4.0	9
Rick Parros—1981	176	749	4.3	2
Floyd Little—1969	146	729	5.0	6
Jon Keyworth—1975	182	725	4.0	3
Joe Dawkins—1973	160	706	4.4	2

Top Career Marks

	Attempts	Yards	Average	TDs
Floyd Little—1967-75	1641	6323	3.9	43
Otis Armstrong—1973-80	1023	4453	4.3	25
Jon Keyworth—1973-80	699	2653	3.8	22
Dave Preston—1978-81	403	1490	3.7	9
Rob Lytle—1977-81	374	1449	3.9	12
Bobby Anderson—1970-73	313	1281	4.1	9
Donnie Stone—1961-64	329	1273	3.9	10
Fran Lynch—1967-75	304	1258	4.1	12
Wendell Hayes—1965-67	320	1198	3.7	10
Charlie Mitchell—1963-67	352	1142	3.3	5

PASSING

	Game	Season	Career
Yards gained	447—Tripucka	3,195—Morton, 1981	11,702—Morton, 1977-81
	at Buffalo 9/15/62	3,038—Tripucka, 1960	7,676—Tripucka, 1960-63
	445—Johnson	2,902—Tripucka, 1962	7,238—Johnson, 1972-75
	vs. Kansas City 11/18/74		6,437—Ramsey, 1971-76
Comple-tions	376—Tripucka		
	vs. San Diego 9/7/62		
	34—Slaughter	248—Tripucka, 1960	889—Morton, 1977-81
	at Houston 12/20/64	240—Tripucka, 1962	662—Tripucka, 1960-63
Attempts	30—Tripucka	225—Morton, 1981	517—Johnson, 1972-75
	vs. Houston 11/6/60		
	29—Tripucka		
	at Buffalo 9/15/62		
Pct.	56—Tripucka	478—Tripucka, 1960	1,568—Morton, 1977-81
	at Buffalo 9/15/62	440—Tripucka, 1962	1,277—Tripucka, 1960-63
	53—Slaughter	376—Morton, 1981	970—Johnson, 1972-75
	at Houston 12/20/64		919—Ramsey, 1971-76
TDs	52—Tripucka		
	vs. Houston 11/6/60		
	52—Tripucka		
	at Houston 11/20/60		
Pct.	(Min. of 10 attempts)	(Min. of 100 attempts)	(Min. of 100 attempts)
	944—Morton	632—Weese, 1978	593—DeBerg, 1981
	vs. San Diego	608—Morton, 1980	570—Weese, 1976-79
	9/27/81	598—Morton, 1981	567—Morton, 1977-81
TDs	864—Morton		
	vs. K.C. 12/10/78		
	833—Ramsey		
	vs. Cleveland 10/19/75		
TDs	5—Tripucka	24—Tripucka, 1960	74—Morton, 1977-81
	vs. Buffalo 10/28/62	21—Morton, 1981	52—Johnson, 1972-75
	4—Six times	20—Johnson, 1973	51—Tripucka, 1960-63
			38—Tensi, 1967-70

PASSING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

	Game	Season	Career
Inter-ceptions	6—Horn	34—Tripucka, 1960	85—Tripucka, 1960-63
	at Green Bay 9/26/71	25—Tripucka, 1962	62—Morton, 1977-81
	6—Herring	22—Herring, 1961	58—Ramsey, 1971-76
	at Houston 11/26/71		
Intercept. avoidance	5—7 times		
	.000—by many	030—Morton, 1978	.039—Morton, 1977-81
		031—Morton, 1977	043—Breaux, 1963
		031—Weese, 1979	054—Johnson, 1972-75
Ave. per completion	(Min. of 12 attempts)	(Min. of 50 attempts)	(Min. of 100 attempts)
	33.64—Lee	17.93—Hufnagel, 1975	17.09—Briscoe, 1968
	at Oakland 12/5/65	17.09—Briscoe, 1968	15.98—Shaw, 1962
	27.92—Briscoe	16.15—Ramsey, 1972	15.09—Tensi, 1967-70
Ave. per attempt	vs. Buffalo 11/24/68		
	27.42—Johnson		
	vs. Kansas City		
	9/2*/75		
Ave. per attempt	17.1—Morton	8.65—Lee, 1965	7.56—Johnson, 1972-75
	vs. San Diego	8.50—Morton, 1981	7.52—Weese, 1976-79
	9/27/81	8.31—Weese, 1978	7.46—Morton, 1977-81
	16.45—Johnson		
Ave. per attempt	vs. Kansas City		
	9/21/75		
	15.7—Morton		
	vs. Detroit		
Ave. per attempt	10/11/81		
	13.41—Weese		
	vs. Pittsburgh		
	12/16/78		

Other Passing Records

Most Consecutive Games with TD Pass—

- 10—Johnson, 1973-74 (Last 8 games of 1973 and first 2 games of 1974).
- 9—Morton, 1977 (5th through 13th games).
- 9—Tripucka, 1962 (Span of 10 games, did not play one game).

Most Consecutive Completions—

- 16—Morton vs. Kansas City, 12/10/78
- 11—Morton vs. San Diego, 9/27/81
- 11—Tensi at San Diego, 11/23/69
- 10—Tripucka vs. Dallas, 10/8/61

Longest Scoring Pass—

- 97—Shaw to Tarr at Boston, 9/21/62
- 96—Tripucka to Frazier at Buffalo, 9/15/62
- 95—Morton to Watson vs. San Diego, 9/27/81
- 93—Morton to Watson vs. Detroit, 10/11/81

Longest Non-Scoring Pass—

- 86—Morton to Watson vs. Kansas City, 12/6/81
- 74—Liske to Van Heusen at New Orleans, 11/22/70
- 74—Horn to Little vs. Oakland, 10/10/71
- 72—Johnson to Little vs. San Diego, 10/29/74

PASSING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Top Ten Season Marks

	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	TD	Pct.
Morton—1981	376	225	14	3195	21	.598
Tripucka—1960	478	248	34	3038	24	.519
Tripucka—1962	440	240	25	2902	17	.545
Morton—1979	370	204	19	2626	16	.551
Johnson—1973	346	184	17	2465	20	.532
Morton—1980	301	183	13	2150	12	.606
Tensi—1969	286	131	12	1990	14	.458
Johnson—1974	244	136	9	1969	13	.557
Ramsey—1976	270	128	13	1931	11	.474
Morton—1977	254	131	8	1929	14	.516
Tensi—1967	325	131	17	1915	16	.403

Top Ten Career Marks

	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	TD	Pct.
Morton—1977-81	1568	889	62	11702	74	.567
Tripucka—1960-63	1277	662	85	7676	51	.518
Johnson—1972-75	970	517	52	7238	52	.533
Ramsey—1971-76	919	456	58	6437	35	.496
Tensi—1967-70	810	348	45	5153	38	.430
Slaughter—1963-66	584	291	37	3607	22	.498
McCormick—1963-68	537	207	33	2791	17	.385
Lee—1964-65	345	177	23	2303	16	.513
Liske—1969-70	353	173	22	2185	16	.490
Weese—1976-79	251	143	14	1887	7	.570

Career Touchdown Passes—Morton 62, Johnson 52, Tripucka 51, Tensi 38, Ramsey 35, Slaughter 22, McCormick 17, Lee 16, Liske 16, Briscoe 14, Breaux 7, Weese 7, Herring 5, Penrose 5, Shaw 4, Choboian 4, Horn 3, Robinson 2, LeClair 2, Mingo 2, Glacken 1, Hufnagel 1, Pastrana 1, Stone 1, Little 1, Anderson 1, Keyworth 1.

RECEIVING

	Game	Season	Career
Receptions	13—Anderson vs. Chicago 9/30/73	100—Taylor, 1961 92—Taylor, 1960 85—Taylor, 1965	543—Taylor, 1960-66 384—Odoms, 1972-81 302—Moses, 1972-81
	13—Taylor vs. Oakland 11/29/64		
	12—Taylor at Boston 9/21/62		
	Yards	199—Taylor vs. Buffalo 11/27/60 182—Watson vs. Detroit 10/11/81 178—Watson vs. San Diego 9/27/81	6,872—Taylor, 1960-66 5,611—Odoms, 1972-81 5,450—Moses, 1972-81
	TDs	13—Watson, 1981 12—Taylor, 1960 11—Denson, 1967	44—Taylor, 1960-66 44—Moses, 1972-81 41—Odoms, 1972-81
Ave. per catch	(Min. of 4 Catches)	(Min. of 20 Catches)	(Min. of 50 Catches)
	41.25—Little at Buffalo	22.05—Scarpitto, 1963 20.73—Watson, 1981	20.73—Watson, 1979-81 20.54—Van Heusen, 1968-76
	38.00—Tarr at Boston 9/12/62	20.14—Denson, 1966	18.05—Moses, 1972-81
	36.4—Watson vs. Detroit 10/11/81		

RECEIVING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Other Receiving Records

Most Consecutive Games with TD Reception—

6—Taylor, 1960-61 (Last 4 games of 1960, first 2 games of 1961)
6—Denson, 1969
5—Watson, 1981
4—Scarpitto, 1963
4—Denson, 1967
4—Odoms, 1973
4—Upchurch, 1979

Most Consecutive Games with Reception—

62—Taylor, 1960-64
41—Odoms, 1976-79
33—Odoms, 1973-76
21—Little, 1973-74
19—Taylor, 1964-65
19—Denson, 1968-69
18—Prebola, 1961-62

Top Season Marks

	No.	Yards	TD	Ave.
Taylor—1961	100	1176	4	11.8
Taylor—1960	92	1235	12	13.4
Taylor—1965	85	1131	6	13.3
Taylor—1963	78	1101	10	14.1
Taylor—1962	77	908	4	11.7
Taylor—1964	76	873	7	11.5
Upchurch—1979	64	937	7	14.6
Watson—1981	60	1244	13	20.7
Dickinson—1962	60	554	4	9.2
Moses—1979	54	943	6	17.5

Top Career Marks

	No.	Yards	TD	Ave.
Taylor—1960-66	543	6872	44	12.7
Odoms—1972-81	384	5611	41	14.6
Moses—1972-81	302	5450	44	18.0
Denson—1964-70	250	4150	32	16.6
Little—1967-75	215	2418	9	11.2
Upchurch—1975-81	201	3323	19	16.5
Scarpitto—1962-67	145	2439	24	16.8
Keyworth—1974-80	141	1097	3	7.8
Armstrong—1973-80	131	1302	7	9.9
Preston—1978-81	130	1152	2	8.9

PUNTING

	Game	Season	Career
No.	12—Prestridge at Buffalo 10/25/81	105—Scarpitto, 1967 96—Dilts, 1978	574—Van Heusen, 1968-76 248—Scarpitto, 1965-67
	12—Scarpitto at Oakland 9/10/67	90—Dilts, 1977	245—Prestridge, 1979-81
	12—Van Heusen vs. Cincinnati 10/6/68	88—Van Heusen, 1968	
	(Min. of 4 punts)	(Min. of 50 punts)	(Min. of 50 punts)
	53.8—Scarpitto vs. San Diego 10/22/67	46.1—Fraser, 1963 45.8—Scarpitto, 1966 45.1—Van Heusen, 1973	45.2—Fraser, 1962-64 44.4—Scarpitto, 1965-67 41.7—Van Heusen, 1968-76
Ave.	53.5—Fraser vs. New York 11/17/63		
	52.5—Fraser at San Diego 12/22/63		
	52.5—Fraser vs. Kansas City 10/11/64		

Other Punting Records

Longest punt—78—Van Heusen vs. Dallas, 12/2/73
75—Fraser at Oakland, 10/14/62
75—Fraser vs. Boston, 11/11/62
73—Dilts vs. New York Jets, 11/5/78
73—Scarpitto vs. Boston, 9/3/67

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (CONTINUED)

INTERCEPTIONS

No.	Game	Season	Career
4	Brown vs. New York 11/15/64	11—Gonsoulin, 1960 9—Brown, 1964 7—Five players	43—Gonsoulin, 1960-66 40—Thompson, 1969-81 28—Foley, 1976-81
4	Gonsoulin at Buffalo 9/18/60		
3	Four times		
Return yards	93—Gradishar at Cleveland, 10/5/80 91—Brown vs. New York 11/15/64 73—T. Jackson vs. Baltimore 11/27/77	153—Wilson, 1967 140—Brown, 1964 136—T. Jackson, 1976	784—Thompson, 1969-81 542—Gonsoulin, 1960-66 411—Foley, 1976-81

Other Interception Records

Best interception return average, career (10 or more interceptions)—

19.6, Thompson, 1969-81
18.4, T. Jackson, 1973-81
17.6, McMillin, 1960-62, 1964-65

Longest scoring interception return—

93, Gradishar at Cleveland, 10/5/80
73, T. Jackson vs. Baltimore, 11/27/77
70, Wilson vs. Kansas City, 12/17/67

Longest non-scoring interception return—

70, Moore at Boston 11/20/64
65, Alliston at Buffalo 9/18/60
65, Foley-Gradishar-Wright, vs. New York Giants, 11/14/76 (Foley intercepted and returned 23, lateral to Gradishar for 10, lateral to Wright for 32).
65, D. Smith at Chicago 12/20/81

PUNT RETURNS

No.	Game	Season	Career
8	Upchurch at Baltimore 10/22/78	51—Upchurch, 1977 41—Manning, 1981 39—Upchurch, 1976	229—Upchurch, 1975-81 157—Thompson, 1969-81 81—Little, 1967-75
7	Thompson at Kansas City 10/6/74		
7	Upchurch vs. San Diego 11/30/75		
6	7 times		
Return yards	167—Upchurch vs. Pittsburgh 11/6/77 125—Upchurch vs. Cleveland 9/26/76 105—Upchurch vs. Buffalo 9/25/77	653—Upchurch, 1977 536—Upchurch, 1976 493—Upchurch, 1978	2714—Upchurch, 1975-81 1814—Thompson, 1969-81 893—Little, 1967-75
Average		(10 or more returns) 16.88—Little, 1967 13.74—Upchurch, 1976 13.69—Upchurch, 1978 13.46—Thompson, 1974	(15 or more returns) 11.89—Mingo, 1960-64 11.85—Upchurch, 1975-81 11.55—Thompson, 1969-81

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Other Punt Returns

Longest scoring punt return—92, Upchurch vs. San Diego 10/3/76
87, Upchurch vs. Pittsburgh 11/6/77
76, Mingo at Boston 9/9/60

Longest non-scoring punt return—

60, Thompson at Baltimore 11/10/74
59, Thompson vs. New England 12/17/72
54, Mitchell at Buffalo 9/20/64

KICKOFF RETURNS

No.	Game	Season	Career
7	Barry at Kansas City 11/1/64	47—Barry, 1964 40—Brunson, 1980 40—Upchurch, 1975 37—Mitchell, 1963	104—Little, 1967-75 95—Upchurch, 1975-81 73—Barry, 1964-65
6	R. Montgomery at San Diego 9/24/72		
6	Upchurch vs. Cleveland 10/19/75		
Return yards	201—R. Montgomery at San Diego 9/24/72 197—Upchurch vs. Cleveland 10/19/75 185—Little at Miami 9/17/67	1245—Barry, 1964 1084—Upchurch, 1975 954—Mitchell, 1963	2523—Little, 1967-75 2355—Upchurch, 1975-81 1856—Barry, 1964-65
Average		(14 or more returns) 28.50—Thompson, 1969 28.47—Sellers, 1966 28.00—Frazier, 1961	(40 or more returns) 26.28—Haynes, 1965-66 25.42—Barry, 1964-65 25.13—Thompson, 1969-81 24.79—Upchurch, 1975-81

Other Kickoff Return Records

Longest scoring kickoff return—

100, Sellers vs. Houston 10/2/66
100, Wilson at Kansas City 10/8/66
94, Montgomery at San Diego 9/24/72

Longest non-scoring kickoff return—

89, Little vs. Oakland 11/10/68
88, Montgomery at Oakland 10/22/72
77, Scott vs. Kansas City 10/23/66

SCORING

	Game	Season	Career
TDs	3—9 times	13—Little, 1972 13—Little, 1973 13—Watson, 1981	54—Little, 1967-75 45—Moses, 1972-81 44—Taylor, 1960-66 44—Odoms, 1972-81
FG	5—Mingo vs. San Diego 10/6/63 4—10 times (Turner 3, Mingo 3, Steinfort 2, Howfield, Kroner)	27—Mingo, 1962 26—Steinfert, 1980 25—Turner, 1971	151—Turner, 1971-79 72—Mingo, 1960-64 43—Steinfert, 1979-81
PAT	6—Turner vs. New England 12/17/72 6—Turner at Houston 10/14/73 6—Turner vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76 6—Turner vs. New England 11/11/79 6—Steinfert vs. San Diego 9/27/81	40—Turner, 1973 37—Turner, 1972 36—Howfield, 1969 36—Turner, 1976 36—Steinfert, 1981	283—Turner, 1971-79 120—Mingo, 1960-64 93—Howfield, 1968-70

SCORING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Game	Season	Career
Points		
21—Mingo	137—Mingo, 1962	742—Turner, 1971-79
at Los Angeles	123—Mingo, 1960	408—Mingo, 1960-64
10/10/60	110—Steinfort, 1980	324—Little, 1967-75
20—Scarpitto	106—Turner, 1973	
at Buffalo 12/18/66		
20—Mingo		
vs. San Diego		
10/6/63		

*Taylor vs. Buffalo, 11/27/60; Stone at San Diego, 11/4/62; Scarpitto at Buffalo, 12/18/66; Little vs. Minnesota, 10/15/72; Little vs. Cincinnati, 9/16/73; Moses at Houston, 1/14/73; Keyworth vs. Kansas City, 11/18/74; Armstrong vs. Houston, 12/8/74; Watson vs. Baltimore, 9/20/81.

Other Scoring Records

Most consecutive games scoring—

55—Turner, 1971-74
47—Turner, 1975-78
32—Howfield, 1968-70
36—Mingo, 1960-64

Most consecutive games scoring by a non-kicker—

6—Taylor, 1960-61 (Last 4 games of 1960 and first 2 games of 1961)
6—Denson, 1969
6—Little, 1972

Most consecutive games scoring by rushing—

4—Little, 1969
4—Keyworth, 1974
3—Hayes, 1965
3—Armstrong, 1974

Most consecutive games scoring by reception—

6—Taylor, 1960-61 (Last 4 games of 1960 and first 2 games of 1961)
6—Denson, 1969
5—Watson, 1981
4—Scarpitto, 1963
4—Denson, 1967
4—Odoms, 1973
4—Upchurch, 1979

TEAM—GENERAL SEASON

Most consecutive victories—8—1976-77 (last two games of 1976, first six of 1977)

6—1977
4—1962, 1979, and 1981
3—ten times

Most consecutive games without a loss—8—1976-77

7—1973
6—1977

Most consecutive defeats—11—1963-64

9—1967

Most consecutive games without victory—14—1963-64

9—1967

TEAM—GENERAL GAME

Largest margin of victory—

43—vs. New York Jets 9/19/76 (46-3)
37—vs. Oakland 10/5/62 (44-7)
35—vs. New England 11/11/79 (45-10)
35—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76 (48-13)

Most points in one half—

38—vs. New England 11/11/79
38—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76
33—vs. San Diego 10/6/63
32—vs. New York 11/22/62

Most points in one quarter—

26—at New York Jets 12/3/67
24—vs. Buffalo 11/27/60
24—vs. San Diego 10/6/63
24—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76
24—vs. New England 11/11/79

TEAM—OFFENSE

Scoring

Game	Season
Most Points	
50—vs. San Diego 10/6/63	354—1973
48—at Houston 10/14/73	353—1962
48—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76	325—1972
Fewest Points	
0—San Diego 37, Denver 0—10/29/61	196—1966
0—at Oakland 51, Denver 0—9/10/67	203—1971
0—at Kansas City 16, Denver 0—12/6/70	240—1964
0—at San Diego 17, Denver 0—12/15/74	251—1961
0—at San Diego 23, Denver 0—10/8/78	
Most touchdowns	
6—8 times	41—1973
Most recent: vs. San Diego 9/27/81	39—1962
	39—1974
	39—1976
	39—1981

Most field goals	
5—vs. San Diego 10/6/63	27—1962
4—10 times	26—1980
	25—1971
	22—1973
	21—1975

Total Offense

Game	Season
Most plays	
88—at Seattle 10/29/78 (OT)	1062—1981
86—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	1044—1979
86—at Chicago 12/12/76	1039—1978
84—vs. Boston 12/3/61	992—1980
Most total yards	
543—vs. New York Jets, 9/19/76	5426—1981
532—vs. Kansas City, 11/18/74	5142—1979
507—vs. Oakland, 12/14/80	4829—1978
505—vs. San Diego, 9/7/62	4707—1962
Ave. gain per play	
8.56—vs. San Diego 9/7/62	5.38—1972
8.21—at Houston 10/14/73	5.21—1974
7.77—vs. New England 12/17/72	5.20—1962
Fewest yards	
5—at Oakland 9/10/67	3168—1966
26—at Houston 9/3/66	3332—1964
117—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64	3811—1961

Rushing Offense

Game	Season
Rushing plays	
60—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	601—1978
59—at Chicago 12/12/76	524—1979
59—at Kansas City (OT) 9/24/78	523—1977
	515—1981
Rushing yards	
356—at Chicago 12/12/76	2451—1978
328—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	2157—1974
292—at Oakland 11/24/74	2093—1971
	2043—1977
Ave. gain per rush	
6.68—vs. Dallas 10/30/60	4.50—1972
6.64—vs. Houston 9/17/72	4.44—1974
6.59—vs. Buffalo 11/19/61	4.15—1969
Fewest yards	
13—at Oakland 10/22/72	1091—1961
20—at Dallas 12/10/61	1173—1966
27—at Buffalo 9/15/62	1195—1960

TEAM RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Passing Offense

	Game	Season
Passes attempted	56—at Buffalo 9/15/72	568—1961
	56—at Boston 9/21/62	559—1962
	55—at Houston 12/20/64	508—1960
Passes completed	35—at Houston 12/20/64	292—1962
	32—vs. Kansas City 11/18/74	289—1981
	31—vs. Houston 11/6/60	265—1961
Passes had intercepted	8—at Houston 12/2/62	45—1961
	6—6 times	40—1962
		35—1960
Completion percentage	.875—vs. San Diego 9/27/81	.596—1981
	.870—vs. Kansas City 12/10/78	.561—1980
	.773—vs. Houston 11/2/80	.559—1974
Touchdown passes	5—vs. Buffalo 10/28/62	27—1961
	4—7 times	24—1960
		23—1969
Net yards passing	459—vs. Kansas City 11/18/74	3531—1981
	431—vs. Oakland 12/14/80	3404—1962
	428—at Buffalo 9/15/62	3247—1960
Fewest net yards	-53—at Oakland 9/10/67	1682—1967
	-7—at Houston 9/3/66	1995—1966
	6—vs. New York 11/15/64	2021—1964
Fewest times Denver passers thrown for loss	0—Many times	22—1971
		24—1965
		27—1973
Most times Denver passers thrown for loss	11—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64	63—1963
	11—vs. Oakland 11/5/67	61—1981
	10—at Oakland 12/8/75	61—1964
Most yardage Denver passers thrown for loss	10—at Oakland 10/31/76	58—1967
	95—vs. Oakland 11/5/67	590—1963
	84—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64	520—1964
	78—vs. Boston 9/29/63	508—1967
	78—vs. Kansas City 12/14/68	

First Downs

	Game	Season
Most first downs	34—vs. Kansas City 11/18/74	306—1979
	31—vs. New York Jets 9/19/76	294—1978
	29—vs. New York Jets 11/16/80	286—1980
First downs rushing	19—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	130—1979
	19—at Chicago 12/12/76	129—1978
	17—at Seattle 10/29/78 (OT)	120—1974
First downs passing	25—vs. Kansas City 11/24/74	177—1962
	23—at Houston 12/20/64	158—1980
	22—vs. Oakland 12/14/80	149—1979
First downs penalty	6—vs. Houston 9/7/64	28—1978
	5—5 times	27—1979
		27—1965
Fewest first downs	0—at Houston 9/3/66	171—1966
	3—at Oakland 9/10/67	172—1967
	7—at Kansas City 12/6/70	207—1964
	7—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64	

TEAM RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Punts

	Game	Season
Most punts	12—at Oakland 9/10/67	105—1967
	12—vs. Cincinnati 10/6/68	96—1968
	12—at Buffalo 10/25/81	96—1978
Fewest punts	0—vs. Dallas 10/8/61	59—1962
	1—vs. San Diego 11/27/66	60—1972
	1—vs. N.Y. Jets 9/19/76	63—1975
	1—at Kansas City 12/7/80	
Best average	(Min. of 4 punts)	
	53.75—vs. San Diego 10/22/67	45.2—1966
	53.50—vs. New York 11/17/63	45.1—1973
	52.50—at San Diego 12/22/63	44.9—1967
	52.50—vs. Kansas City 10/11/64	
Poorest average		35.1—1976
		36.4—1978
		37.3—1960
Best net average (category originated in 1976)	(Min. of 4 punts)	
	52.3—at Houston 12/4/77	35.9—1980
	43.7—vs. Dallas 9/14/80	34.8—1981
	43.3—vs. San Diego 10/7/79	33.7—1977

Punt Returns

	Game	Season
Most returns	8—at Buffalo 9/20/70	63—1970
	8—at Kansas City 10/6/74	58—1977
	8—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	51—1976
	8—at Baltimore 10/22/78	51—1978
		51—1981
Most return yards	167—vs. Pittsburgh 11/6/77	712—1977
	126—at New York 12/3/67	640—1976
	125—vs. Cleveland 9/26/76	582—1978
Best average		13.5—1967
		12.9—1963
		12.5—1976

Kickoff Returns

	Game	Season
Most returns	10—vs. Boston 10/4/64	78—1963
	10—at San Diego 12/22/63	76—1964
	9—at Boston 10/18/63	71—1965
	9—vs. Kansas City 9/7/63	
Most return yards	295—vs. Boston 10/4/64	1801—1963
	289—vs. Kansas City 9/7/63	1758—1964
	238—at Kansas City 10/8/63	1731—1965
Best average		26.9—1966
		25.3—1967
		24.5—1975

Fumbles

	Game	Season
Most fumbles	6—5 times	40—1961
		36—1966
		35—1979
Most fumbles lost	5—vs. Cleveland 10/19/75	23—1961
	5—vs. Chicago 9/30/73	18—1981
	4—6 times	18—1979
Fewest fumbles	0—Many times	15—1969
		21—1973
		23—4 times
Fewest fumbles lost	0—Many times	8—1964
		9—1969
		9—1973

TEAM RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Penalties

	Game	Season
Most penalties	15—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76	132—1978
	14—vs. Oakland 10/17/76	116—1979
	14—at N. Y. Jets 10/28/73	105—1976
Most yards penalized	160—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76	1097—1978
	134—vs. Pittsburgh 11/6/77	1006—1979
	132—vs. Oakland 10/17/76	986—1976
Fewest penalties	0—vs. Kansas City 12/17/67	48—1967
	1—9 times	54—1960
		60—1961
Fewest yards penalized	0—vs. Kansas City 12/17/67	501—1960
	0—at Boston 9/21/62	512—1967
	5—3 times	548—1963

TEAM—DEFENSE Total Defense

Game	Season	100
Fewest plays allowed	40—vs. San Diego 10/6/63 42—vs. San Diego 11/30/75 44—at Boston 9/24/65 44—vs. Boston 9/29/63	826—1971 838—1970 847—1963
Fewest yards allowed	60—at Cleveland 10/24/71 66—vs. Chicago 12/5/71 70—vs. San Diego 11/2/69	3705—1970 3722—1976 3774—1977
Lowest yield per play	1.12—vs. Chicago 12/5/71 1.25—vs. San Diego 11/2/69 1.30—at Cleveland 10/24/71	4.01—1977 4.14—1976 4.38—1978

Rushing Defense

	Game	Season
Fewest rushes allowed	11—at N. Y. Jets 12/3/67	384—1965
	14—at N. Y. Jets 10/28/73	409—1970
	14—at Tampa Bay 11/15/81	420—1963
Fewest yards allowed	0—at Kansas City 12/19/65	1337—1965
	18—vs. Pittsburgh 9/27/70	1351—1970
	24—at Cleveland 10/24/71	1530—1977
Lowest yield per rush	0.00—at Kansas City 12/19/65	3.26—1977
	0.64—vs. Pittsburgh 9/27/70	3.30—1970
	1.47—at Cincinnati 12/14/69	3.37—1979

Passing Defense

	Game	Season
Fewest attempts by opponents	10—at Kansas City (OT) 9/24/78 12—at Kansas City 10/18/81 14—Four times	348—1975 356—1971 379—1970
Fewest completions by opponents	2—at Chicago 12/12/76 5—at Green Bay 9/26/71 5—vs. Dallas 10/8/61	150—1971 181—1975 189—1960
Lowest completion percentage allowed	118—at Chicago 12/12/76 .226—vs. Chicago 12/5/71 .259—at Cleveland 10/24/71	.421—1971 .448—1961 .459—1965
Fewest net yards allowed	7—vs. Chicago 12/5/71 18—at Kansas City 12/6/70 33—vs. Kansas City 10/4/70	1985—1971 2026—1976 2032—1975
Fewest TD passes allowed	0—Many times	8—1976 9—1978 11—1979 11—1977

TEAM DEFENSE RECORDS (CONTINUED)

PASSING DEFENSE (CONTINUED)

Highest percentage interception of opponent passes		073—1964 071—1978 070—1960
Most opponent passes intercepted	7—at Oakland 10/16/77 6—4 times	32—1964 31—1978 28—1967
Most yards interception returns	133—at Buffalo 9/18/60 117—vs. Oakland 10/5/62 110—vs. Kansas City 10/9/77	491—1977 483—1962 465—1965
Most times opponent passers thrown for loss	10—at Cincinnati 10/19/69 9—vs. Chicago 12/5/71 9—vs. Buffalo 11/19/61	50—1970 45—1969 44—1971 44—1964
Most yardage, opponent passers thrown for loss	95—vs. New York 11/15/64 76—vs. Kansas City 10/4/70 75—vs. New England 12/17/72	456—1970 447—1964 435—1971
Lowest yield per pass attempt		5.00—1964 5.49—1961 5.52—1972
Lowest yield per pass completion		10.60—1976 10.64—1972 10.67—1979

Punting

	Game	Season
	(4 or more punts)	
Lowest opponent	30.0—vs. Buffalo 11/27/60	37.3—1976
average	30.3—at Minnesota (OT) 9/11/78	39.0—1960
	30.4—at Houston 10/26/69	39.9—1978

Punt Returns

Game	Season
Lowest opponent average	4.81—1978 6.13—1968 7.03—1969

Kickoff Returns

Game	Season
Lowest opponent average	17.14—1961 20.13—1960 20.39—1973

Fumbles

	Game	Season
Most opponent fumbles recovered	6—at Buffalo 12/2/79 5—at Boston 11/6/66 5—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64 5—at Oakland 10/14/62	23—1981 21—1964 20—1963 20—1971
Fewest opponent fumbles recovered	0—Many times	11—1974 12—1980 12—1972 12—1968 12—1967

TEAM DEFENSE RECORDS (CONTINUED)

First Downs

Game	Season
Fewest opponent first downs	3—vs. San Diego 11/30/75 199—1970
	5—at Chicago 12/12/76 206—1971
	6—vs. Oakland 11/20/66 217—1977
	6—at Cleveland 10/24/71
Fewest opponent first downs rushing	1—vs. Cincinnati 12/14/69 67—1970
	1—at Cleveland 10/24/71 77—1977
	1—at Los Angeles 12/12/72 83—1971
Fewest opponent first downs passing	1—San Diego 11/30/75 91—1971
	1—at Chicago 12/12/76 104—1976
	2—Dallas 10/8/61 106—1975
Fewest opponent first downs penalty	0—Many times 12—1968
	14—1970
	15—1962

Penalties

Game	Season
Most opponent penalties	16—vs. Chicago 10/16/78 118—1979
	13—at Houston 10/26/69 114—1978
	13—vs. Cleveland 9/26/76 104—1981
Most yards opponent penalized	147—vs. Chicago 10/16/78 1033—1979
	145—at Seattle 12/8/79 949—1961
	140—at Houston 10/26/69 901—1969
Fewest yards opponent penalized	0—at Oakland 12/19/71 516—1963
	4—at Miami 12/20/75 573—1964
	5—at Houston 9/3/66 576—1966
	5—vs. Boston 11/11/62

Scoring

Game	Season
Fewest points	0—vs. San Diego 11/2/69 148—1977
	0—at Cleveland 10/24/71 198—1978
	0—vs. San Diego 10/3/76 206—1976
	0—at San Diego 11/14/76
	0—vs. St. Louis 9/18/77
	0—vs. Cincinnati 9/2/79
	0—vs. San Diego 10/7/79
	0—at Oakland 10/4/81
Fewest touchdowns allowed	0—Many times 18—1977
	21—1978
	25—1976
Fewest field goals allowed	0—Many times 8—1977
	12—1976
	13—1961

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Total Offense

MOST PLAYS—60, Joe Namath, at N. Y. Jets, 12/3/67. **YARDS GAINED**—448, Len Dawson, at Kansas City, 11/1/64. **GAIN PER PLAY**—(10 or more plays)—21.62, Jacky Lee, at Houston, 11/29/60.

Rushing

MOST RUSHES—36, Earl Campbell, Houston, 11/2/80. **YARDS GAINED**—183, Paul Lowe, at San Diego, 12/22/63. **GAIN PER RUSH** (8 or more rushes)—12.50, Abner Haynes, at Miami, 9/17/67, and 12.50, Booker Russell, vs. Oakland, 11/25/79. **LONGEST SCORING RUN**—82, Joe Delaney, at Kansas City, 10/18/81. **LONGEST NON-SCORING RUN**—76, Willmer Fowler, Buffalo, 11/27/60, and 76, Walter Payton, Chicago, 10/16/78.

OPPONENT RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Passing

ATTEMPTS—60, Joe Namath, at N.Y. Jets, 12/3/67. **COMPLETIONS**—31, Joe Gilliam, Pittsburgh (OT), 9/22/74. **HAD INTERCEPTED**—7, Ken Stabler, at Oakland, 10/16/77. **YARDS GAINED**—435, Len Dawson, at Kansas City, 11/1/64. **COMPLETION PERCENTAGE** (10 or more passes)—.813, Bob Berry, at Atlanta, 11/26/72. **TOUCHDOWNS**—6, Len Dawson, at Kansas City, 11/1/64. **LONGEST SCORING PLAY**—92, Len Dawson to Tom Brooker, Dallas, 11/18/62. 92, Jacky Lee to Bill Groman, at Houston, 11/20/60. **LONGEST NON-SCORING PLAY**—77, Tom Flores to Art Powell, Oakland, 11/29/64.

Receiving

RECEPTIONS—12, Art Powell, New York, 10/22/61. 12, Ed Podolak, at Kansas City, 10/7/73. 12, Ken Payne, Green Bay, 9/29/75. **YARDS GAINED**—213, Curtis McCClinton, at Kansas City, 12/19/65. **TOUCHDOWNS**—4, Lance Alworth, San Diego, 12/1/68.

Punting

MOST PUNTS—11, Dennis Partee, San Diego, 11/30/75. 11, Bob Parsons, at Chicago, 12/12/76. **AVERAGE (4 or more punts)**—57.40, Steve O'Neal, New York, 9/21/69. **LONGEST PUNT**—98, Steve O'Neal, New York, 9/21/69.

Punt Returns

MOST RETURNS—9, Rodger Bird, at Oakland, 9/10/67. **RETURN YARDS**—143, Rodger Bird, at Oakland, 9/10/67. **LONGEST SCORING RETURN**—82, Bobby Jancik, at Houston, 12/20/64. **LONGEST NON-SCORING RETURN**—72, Greg Pruitt, at Cleveland, 10/27/74.

Kickoff Returns

MOST RETURNS—5, held by nine players. **RETURN YARDS**—164, Dave Grayson, Kansas City, 10/11/64. **LONGEST SCORING RETURN**—106, Noland Smith, Kansas City, 12/17/67. **LONGEST NON-SCORING RETURN**—80, Dave Grayson, Kansas City, 10/11/64.

Interceptions

MOST INTERCEPTIONS—3 held by nine players. **RETURN YARDS**—99, Bobby Hunt, at Kansas City, 12/8/63. **LONGEST SCORING RETURN**—80, Coy Bacon, San Diego, 11/11/73. **LONGEST NON-SCORING RETURN**—87, Ron Hall, Boston, 9/18/66.

Scoring

TOUCHDOWNS—4, Frank Jackson, at Dallas, 12/10/61. 4, Bert Coan, Kansas City, 10/23/66. 4, Lance Alworth, San Diego, 12/1/68. 4, Chuck Muncie, at San Diego, 11/29/81. **FIELD GOALS**—6, Gino Cappelletti, Boston, 10/4/64. **LONGEST FIELD GOAL**—57, Don Cockroft, Cleveland, 10/29/72. **POINTS**—24, Frank Jackson, at Dallas, 12/10/61. 24, Bert Coan, Kansas City, 10/23/66. 24, Lance Alworth, San Diego, 12/1/68. 24, Chuck Muncie, at San Diego, 11/29/81.

OPPONENT SINGLE GAME TEAM RECORDS

Scoring

POINTS—59, Kansas City, 9/7/63.

Total Offense

PLAYS—93, Pittsburgh (OT), 9/22/74. **YARDS GAINED**—634, at Oakland, 10/25/64. **GAIN PER PLAY**—10.30, San Diego, 10/6/63. **FEWEST YARDS GAINED**—60, at Cleveland, 10/24/71.

OPPONENT RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Rushing

RUSHES—62, at New England, 11/28/76. **YARDS GAINED**—380, Kansas City, 10/23/66. **GAIN PER RUSH**—9.27, Kansas City, 10/23/66. **FEWEST YARDS GAINED**—0, at Kansas City, 12/19/65.

Passing

ATTEMPTS—62, at New York, 12/3/67. **COMPLETIONS**—31, Pittsburgh (OT), 9/22/74. **HAD INTERCEPTED**—7, at Oakland, 10/16/77. **MOST YARDS GAINED**—427, at Oakland, 10/25/64. **FEWEST YARDS GAINED**—(-7), Chicago, 12/5/71. **COMPLETION PERCENTAGE**—.813, at Atlanta, 11/26/72.

First Downs

TOTAL FIRST DOWNS—33, Pittsburgh (OT), 9/22/74. **RUSHING**—21, at New England, 11/28/76. **PASSING**—21, San Diego, 12/1/68. **PENALTY**—6, Miami, 12/4/66. 6, at Oakland, 11/9/69.

Punting

MOST PUNTS—11, San Diego, 11/30/75, and at Chicago, 12/12/76. **BEST AVERAGE (4 or more punts)**—57.40, NY Jets, 9/21/69.

Punt Returns

MOST RETURNS—9, at Oakland, 9/10/67. **RETURN YARDS**—143, at Oakland, 9/10/67.

Kickoff Returns

MOST RETURNS—9, at Houston, 10/14/73, and at San Diego, 12/9/73. **RETURN YARDS**—238, at Kansas City, 10/8/66.

TWO TEAM RECORDS

Scoring

POINTS—91—N.Y. Titans, 46, Denver 45, 11/22/62.

Total Offense

PLAYS—161—Denver 88, Seattle 73 (OT), 10/29/78. **YARDS GAINED**—1,057—Denver 476, at San Diego 581, 10/20/68.

Rushing

MOST RUSHES—100—Denver 59, at Kansas City 41 (OT), 9/24/78. **YARDS GAINED**—472—Denver 356, at Chicago 116, 12/12/76.

Passing

ATTEMPTS—97—Denver 53, at Houston 44, 12/2/62. **COMPLETIONS**—53—Denver 35, at Houston 18, 12/20/64. **HAD INTERCEPTED**—13—Denver 8, at Houston 5, 12/2/62. **YARDS GAINED**—708—Denver 321, at San Diego 387, 10/20/68.

Other

TOTAL FIRST DOWNS—58—Denver 34, Kansas City 24, 11/18/74. **FUMBLES**—12—Denver 6, at Boston 6, 11/6/66, and Denver 5, Buffalo 7, 12/13/64. **FUMBLES LOST**—10—Denver 5, at Boston 5, 11/6/66. **YARDS PENALIZED**—273—Denver 128, at Seattle 145, 12/8/79. **FEWEST YARDS PENALIZED**—25—Denver 5, Dallas 20, 10/30/60.

PLAYER HISTORY

ALL-TIME DRAFT CHOICES

1960 (First selections)—Harry Ball, T, Boston College; Charley Britt, QB, Georgia; Dave Canary, E, Cincinnati; Paul Candro, HB, Boston U.; Bill Carrico, G, N. Texas St.; Larry Cundiff, C, Mich. State; Bernard Darre, T, Tulane; Roger Davis, T, Syracuse; Lonnie Dennis, G, Brig. Young; John Diggins T-G, Detroit; Maurice Doke, G, Texas; Mike Dowdle, FB, Texas; Wayne Hawkins, T, COP; Gary Huber, C, Miami (O.); Dave Hudson, E, Florida; Claude King, HB, Houston; Don Klochak, FB, N. Carolina; Roger LeClerc, C, Trinity; Dean Look, QB, Mich. State; Bill Mathis, HB, Clemson; Ken McNeece, T-G, San Jose St.; James Monroe, QB, Arkansas; Ray Norton, HB, San Jose St.; Robert Rosbaugh, HB, Miami (Fla.); Mel Semenko, E, Colorado; Lebron Shields, T, Tennessee; Jack Spikes, FB, TCU; Howard Turley, E, Louisville; Jim Walden, QB, Wyoming; Willie West, HB, Oregon; John Willener, G, Oregon; Bob Yates, T, Syracuse; Ken Young, E, Valparaiso; Bob Zimpter, T-G, Bowling Gr.

1960 (Second selections)—Mel Branch, T-G, LSU; Ronnie Cain, E, Kentucky; Jack Campbell, E, Toledo; Tom Chapman, E, Detroit; LaVelle Coleman, HB, West Mich.; Jim Colvin, T-G, Houston; Teddy Foret, T-G, Auburn; Bobby Green, HB, Florida; Jack Hanlon, HB, Penn.; G. Hershberger, T-G, Wichita; Sam Homer, HB, VMI; Bob Hudson, E, Lamar Tech.; Vic Jones, HB, Indiana; Billy Luplow, T-G, Arkansas; George Phelps, HB, Cornell C. Ia.; Tom Roberts, T-G, Georgia Tech; Sam Stenger, C, Denver; Olin Treadway, QB, Iowa; John Wilkins, T-G, So. California; Emmet Wilson, T-G, Georgia Tech.

1961—1, Bob Gaiters, HB, N. Mex. St. 2, Jerry Hill, HB, Wyoming. 3, Chas. Strange, C, LSU. 4, Roland McDole, T, Nebraska. 4a, (NY), Sonny Davis, E, Baylor. 5, Charles Cowan, E, NM Hlds. U. 6, Dale Evans, HB, Kansas State. 7, Pat Patchen, E, Florida. 9, Phil Nugent, QB, Tulane. 10, Chas. Sturgeon, HB, Kentucky. 11, John Simko, E, Augustana. 12, Jerry Miller, E, H. Payne. 13, Ron Greene, G, Wash. St. 14, Bill Cooper, FB, Muskingum. 15, Willie Crafts, G, Texas A&I. 16, Jim Larkin, T, Hillsdale. 17, Chuck Weiss, FB, Colorado. 18, Chick Graning, HB, Georgia Tech. 19, John Hobbs, G, Maryland St. 20, Buck McLeod, T, Baylor. 21, Jim Morgan, HB, Iowa St. Tech. 22, Tom Hackler, E, Tenn. Tech. 23, Tom Jewell, T, Idaho St. 24, E. A. Simms, E, N. Mex. St. 25, Pete Samms, T, Central Okla. 26, Sam Smith, HB, Florence St. 27, Donald Olson, HB, Nebraska. 28, Wayne Lee, G, Colo. St. Col. 29, Archie Cobb, T, Nebraska. 30, Dave Mills, HB, NE Mo. St. Tech.

1962—1, Merlin Olsen, T, Utah St. 2, Jerry Hillebrand, E, Colorado. 3, Charles Holmes, FB, Maryland St. 4, John Furman, QB, Texas Western. 7, John McGeever, HB, Auburn. 8, Elbert Harris, HB, S.E. Louisiana. 9, Larry Jepson, C, Furman. 10, Gale Weidner, QB, Colorado. 11, Mike Kline, G, Oregon St. 13, Bob Cegelski, C, Montana St. 14, Sonny Gibbs, QB, TCU. 15, Bill Loudon, G, Benedict Coll. 16, Gary Ballman, HB, Mich. St. 17, Jerry Tarr, E, Oregon. 18, Pete Schenk, E, Washington St. 20, Mike Martin, E, Washington St. 21, Jim Perkins, T, Colorado. 22, Don Kasso, HB, Oregon St. 23, Ken Tureaud, HB, Michigan. 24, Neil Thomas, G, Hillsdale. 25, Dave Edwards, E, Auburn. 26, Jim Roberts, T, Mississippi. 27, A. Von Sonn, C, UCLA. 28, Paul Holmes, T, Georgia. 29, Lynn Hoyem, C, Long Beach St. 30, Walter Mince, HB, Arizona. 31, Bill Williamson, T, Bakersfield JC. 32, Vester Flanagan, T, Humboldt St. 33, Duane Allen, E, Mt. S.A. Coll. 34, S. Stonebraker, E, Detroit.

1963—1, K. Alexander, HB, UCLA. 2a, (NY), Ray Poage, FB, Texas. 2b, Tom Nomina, T, Miami (O.). 3, Tommy Janik, HB, Texas A&I. 4, Lou Slaby, LB, Pittsburgh. 5, Ray Mansfield, C, Washington. 6, Anton Peters, T, Florida. 7a, (San Diego), M. Slaughter, QB, Louisiana Tech. 7b, Paul Flatley, E, Northwestern. 8a, (Buf.), H. Dixon, FB, Florida A&M. 8b, John Griffin, HB, Memphis St. 9, Marv Fleming, E, Utah. 10a, Lonnie Sanders, HB, Michigan St. 10b, (Hous.), Pat Richter, E, Wisconsin. 11, Billy Joe, FB, Villanova. 12, John Gamble, E, U. of Pacific. 13, James Maples, C, Baylor. 15, W. Freeman, E, North Texas. 16, Dave Crossan, G, Maryland. 17, Bob Paremore, HB, Florida A&M. 18, Charles Mitchell, HB, Washington. 19a, Frank Baker, FB, Toledo. 19b, (Dallas), Bruce Starling, HB, Florida. 20, Dan Grimm, G, Colorado. 21, Ross Nolan, E, NE Louisiana. 22, Dave Mathiesen, QB, Washington St. 23, Billy Mooty, HB, Arkansas. 24, C. B. Simons, LB, Stanford. 25, Forest Farmer, LB, Purdue. 26, Monte Day, T, Fresno St. 27, John Sellers, T, Bakersfield JC. 28, Bill Reddell, HB, Occidental. 29, Kern Carson, HB, San Diego St.

- 1964**—1, Bob Brown, T, Nebraska. 3, Marv Woodson, DB, Indiana. 3a, Matt Snorton, DE-E, Michigan St. 6, Don Shackelford, T, Pacific. 6a, Al Denson, FL, Florida A&M. 7, Ray Kubala, C-T, Texas A&M. 7a, Jerry Richardson, LB, W. Texas St. 8, W. Hilgenberg, G-LB, Iowa. 9, John Mims, T, Rice. 12, Paul Krause, DB, Iowa. 13, Charley Parker, G, So. Mississippi. 14, Bob Hayes, HB, Florida A&M. 15, Chuck Logan, E, Northwestern. 16, Bob Cherry, E, Wittenburg. 17, J. McNaughton, E, Utah St. 18, George Mira, QB, Miami. 19, Odell Barry, FL, Findlay. 21, Dick Herzing, T, Drake. 22, Gary Lewis, HB, Arizona St. 23, Ken Brusvan, T, Oregon St. 24, Mickey Bitsko, LB, Dayton. 25, Jim Jones, E, Wisconsin. 26, Bob Berry, QB, Oregon.
- 1965**—2, Dick Butkus, LB, Illinois. 3, Glen Ressler, C, Penn St. 4, Geo. Donnelly, DB, Illinois. 5a, Bob Breitenstein, T, Tulsa. 5b, Max Leetzow, DT, Idaho. 6, Tom Wilhelm, T, Syracuse. 7, Jim Garcia, DE, Purdue. 8, John Holman, G, Wisconsin. 9, Gary Bussell, DB, Georgia Tech. 10, Gene Jeter, LB, Arkansas A&M. 11, Tom Vaughan, HB, Iowa St. 12, Tom Myers, QB, Northwestern. 13, Mike Strofalino, LB, Villanova. 14, John Frick, G, Ohio U. 15, Jeff Jordan, DB, Tulsa. 16, Brian Schweda, T, Kansas. 18, Larry Dupree, HB, Florida. 19, R. Oelschlager, HB, Kansas. 20, Terry Metchner, G, Albion.
- 1966**—1, Jerry Shay, T, Purdue. 2, Freeman White, E, Nebraska. 3, Bob Hadrick, E, Purdue. 4, Randy Johnson, QB, Texas A&I. 5, Billy Clay, DB, Mississippi. 6, James Fulgham, T, Minnesota. 7, Jerry Jone, G, Bowling Green. 7a, (Buf.), Scotty Glacken, QB, Duke. 8, Goldie Sellers, DB, Grambling. 9, Ron Stranti, LB, Utah St. 10, Larry Cox, T, Abilene CC. 11, James Burns, G, Northwestern. 13, Eric Crabtree, DB, Pittsburgh. 14, Fred Forsberg, DT, Washington. 15, Mike Ringer, DB, Oklahoma. 16, Frank Rogers, K, Colorado. 17, Gary Eickman, DE, Illinois. 18, Tom Talaga, T, Notre Dame. 19, Tom Coughlin, DE, Miami. 20, Cliff Hysell, T, Montana St.
- 1967**—1, Floyd Little, HB, Syracuse. 2, Thomas Beer, TE, Houston. 3a, Mike Current, T, Ohio State. 3b, Geo. Goeddeke, C, Notre Dame. 4, C. Cunningham, DE, Houston. 5a, Fran Lynch, FB, Hofstra. 5b, John Huard, LB, Maine. 6, Neal Sweeney, E, Tulsa. 7, Frank Richter, G, Georgia. 8, Tom Cassese, E, C. W. Post. 9, James Summers, DB, Michigan St. 10, Paul Krause, QB, Dubuque. 11, Lou Andrus, DE, Brigham Young. 13, Dennis Furjanic, DE, Houston. 14, Tom Francisco, HB, Virginia Tech. 15, Donald Smith, G, Florida A&M. 16, Jack Lentz, QB, Holy Cross. 17, W. Valley, Jr., T, Oregon St.
- 1968**—2, Curley Culp, DE, Arizona St. 3a, Garrett Ford, RB, West Virginia. 3b, (K.C.), Robert Vaughan, T, Mississippi. 4b, (Miami), Gordon Lambert, LB, Tenn. Martin. 4c, (K.C.), Drake Garrett, DB, Michigan St. 4d, (Cincy), Gus Holloman, DB, Houston. 8, Steve Holloway, DB, Weber St. 9, Paul Smith, LB, New Mexico. 10, Bob Langford, T, Middle Tenn. 12, Robert Hendrix, T, Mississippi. 13, Charles Greer, DB, Colorado. 14, Marlin Briscoe, RB, Omaha. 15, Jeff Kuhman, LB, Vermont. 16, Adin Brown, LB, William & Mary. 17, Steve Grady, RB, So. California.
- 1969**—2, Grady Cavniss, DB, Texas-El Paso. 3, Bill Thompson, DB, Maryland St. 4a, Mike Schnitzer, LB, Colorado (From Boston thru K.C.). 4b, Edward Hayes, DB, Morgan St. 5, Frank Quayle, RB, Virginia. 6a, (Buf.), Wandy Williams, RB, Hofstra. 6b, Mike Coleman, RB, Tampa. 7, Al Giffin, TE, Auburn. 9, Henry Jones, RB, Grambling. 10, Jim Smith, DB, Utah St. 11, Alan Pastrana, QB, Maryland. 12, Wes Plummer, DB, Arizona St. 13, John Sias, SE, Georgia Tech. 14, Gary Crane, LB, Arkansas St. 15, Errol Kahoun, G, Miami (O.). 16, Billy Woods, DB, No. Texas St. 17, Buster O'Brien, QB, Richmond.
- 1970**—1, Bob Anderson, RB, Colorado. 2, Alden Roche, DE, Southern. 3, John Kohler, T, South Dakota. 4, Jerry Hendren, WR, Idaho. 5, Bill McKoy, LB, Purdue. 6, John Mosier, TE, Kansas. 7, R. Montgomery, CB, Weber St. 8, (KC), L. Porter, RB, Southern. 9, D. Washington, LB, Alcorn A&M. 10, M. Fullerton, DT, Tuskegee Inst. 11, Cleve Bryant, DB, Ohio University. 12, Greg Jones, RB, Wisconsin St. 13, Jim McKoy, CB, Parsons College. 14, Jeff Slipp, LB, Brigham Young. 15, Maher Barakat, K, So. Dakota Tech. 16, Bob Stewart, QB, Northern Ariz. 17, Frank Kalfoss, K, Montana St.
- 1971**—1, M. Montgomery, OT, So. California. 2, Dwight Harrison, WR, Texas A&I. 4a, Lyle Alzado, DE, Yankton Col. 4b, C. Johnson, CB, Alcorn A&M. 6, Howard Phillips, C, Michigan St. 7, Doug Adams, CB, Ohio St. 8, Tom Beard, LB, Michigan St. 9, John Handy, LB, Purdue. 10, Carlis Harris, WR, Idaho St. 11, Roger Roitsch, DT, Rice. 12, Floyd Franks, WR, Mississippi. 13, Craig Blackford, QB, Evansville. 14, Tommy Lyons, C, Georgia. 15, Lawrence James, RB, Norfolk St. 16, Steve Thompson, DT, Minnesota. 17, Jack Simcsak, P-K, Virginia Tech.
- 1972**—1, Riley Odoms, TE, Houston. 3, Bill Phillips, LB, Arkansas St. 4, (Minn.), Tom Graham, LB, Oregon. 5, (Phila.), Jim Krieg, WR, Washington. 8, Ronnie Estay, LB, LSU. 9, Floyd Priestner, DB, Boston U. 10, Richard
- Wilkins, DE, Maryland St. 11, Larry Brunson, WR, Colorado. 12, R. McDougall, DB, Weber St. 13, Bob Warner, RB, Bloomsburg St. 14, Jerome Kundich, G, UTEP. 15, Skip Parmenter, DT, Massachusetts. 16, Tom Bougus, RB, Boston College. 17, Lou Harris, RB, Southern California.
- 1973**—1, Otis Armstrong, RB, Purdue. 2, Barney Chavous, DE, S. Carolina St. 3a, Paul Howard, OG, Brigham Young. 3b, John Wood, DT, LSU. 4, Tom Jackson, LB, Louisville. 5, Charles McTorry, DB, Tennessee St. 7a, Mike Askea, OT, Stanford. 7b, John Grant, DE, So. California. 9, Lyle Blackwood, DB, Texas Christian. 10, Al Marshall, WR, Boise State. 11, Elton Brown, DT, Utah State. 12, Jim O'Malley, LB, Notre Dame. 13a, Ed Smith, DE, Colorado Col. 13b, Ed White, RB, Tulsa. 14, John Hufnagel, QB, Penn State. 15, Calvin Jones, DB, Washington. 16a, Oliver Ross, RB, Alabama A&M. 16b, Ken Muhlbauer, C, Idaho State. 17, Kenneth Morgan, TE, Elon College.
- 1974**—1, Randy Gradishar, LB, Ohio State. 2, Carl Wafer, DT, Tenn. State. 3, Claudie Minor, T, San Diego St. 4, Ozell Collier, CB, Colorado. 6a, John Winesberry, WR, Stanford. 10, Charlie Johnson, CB, Southern. 11, Steve Buchanan, RB, Holy Cross. 12, Larry Cameron, LB, Alcorn A&M. 13, John Clerky, DT, Fort Valley St. 14, Rich Marks, DS, No. Illinois. 15, Piel Pennington, QB, U. of Mass. 16, Darrell Austin, T, So. Carolina. 17, Boyd Brown, TE, Alcorn A&M.
- 1975**—1, Louis Wright, CB, San Jose St. 2, Charlie Smith, DE, N. Carolina Cen. 3a, (N.Y.G.) Mike Franckowiak, QB-KS, Central Mich. 3b, Drew Mahalic, LB, Notre Dame. 4a, (KC) Steve Taylor, DB, Georgia. 4b, Rick Upchurch, WR-Spec., Minnesota. 5a, Stan Rogers, T, Maryland. 5b, Rubin Carter, DT, Miami (Fla.). 8, Steve Foley, S-QB, Tulane. 9, Russell Williams, DB, Arizona. 10, (KC), Hank Englehardt, C, Pacific. 10, Steve Haggerty, WR, Nev.-Las Vegas. 12, Harry Walters, LB, Maryland. 13, Eric Penick, RB, Notre Dame. 14, Jerry Arnold, G, Oklahoma. 15, Ken Shelton, TE, Virginia. 16, Bubba Bridges, DT, Colorado. 17, Lester Sherman, Ret. Spec., Albany St.
- 1976**—1, Tom Glassic, G, Virginia. 2, Kurt Knoff, S, Kansas. 4, Craig Penrose, QB, San Diego St. 5, Lonnie Perrin, RB, Illinois. 8, James Betterson, RB, North Carolina. 9a, Jim Czirr, C, Michigan. 9b, (St. Louis), Jim Lisko, LB, Arkansas St. 10, Art Gilliam, DE, Grambling. 11, Greg Pittman, LB, Iowa St. 12, Randy Moore, DT, Arizona St. 13, Donnie McGraw, CB, Houston. 14, Larry Evans, LB, Mississippi Col. 15, Wilbur Summers, KS, Louisville. 16, John Huddleston, LB, Utah. 17, Randy Cozens, LB, Pittsburgh.
- 1977**—1, Steve Schindler, G, Boston College. 2, Rob Lytle, RB, Michigan. 4, Bill Bryan, C, Duke. 7, Larry Swider, P, Pittsburgh. 8, Calvin Culliver, RB, Alabama. 9, Charles Jackson, NT, Washington. 10, Orna Middlebrook, WR, Arkansas state. 11, Phil Heck, LB, California. 12, Scott Levenhagen, TE, Western Illinois.
- 1978**—1, Don Latimer, DT, Miami (Fla.). 2, Bill Gay, TE, USC. 8, Frank Smith, OT, Alabama A&M. 10, Vince Kinney, WR, Maryland. 11, Lacy Brumley, OT, Clemson.
- 1979**—1, Kelvin Clark, T, Nebraska. 3, Bruce Radford, DE, Grambling. 4, Charles Jefferson, DB, McNeese State. 5, Rick Leach, QB, Michigan. 6, Jeff McIntyre, LB, Arizona State. 7, Luke Prestridge, P, Baylor. 9, Charley Taylor, WR, Rice. 11, Zachary Dixon, RB, Temple. 12, David Jacobs, K, Syracuse.
- 1980**—2, Rulon Jones, DE, Utah State. 3, Larry Carter, DB, Kentucky. 4, Rick Parros, RB, Utah State. 5a, Mike Harden, S, Michigan. 5b, Laval Short, NT, Colorado. 6, Keith Bishop, G, Baylor. 7, John Havekost, G, Nebraska. 8, Don Coleman, WR, Oregon. 9, Greg Bracelin, LB, California. 10, Virgil Seay, Ret. Spec., Troy State. 11, Phil Farris, WR, North Carolina.
- 1981**—1, Dennis Smith, S, Southern California. 2, Clay Brown, TE, Brigham Young. 4, Mark Herrmann, QB, Purdue. 5, Ken Lanier, T, Florida State. 6, Alvin Lewis, RB, Colorado State. 7, Steve Busick, LB, Southern California. 9, Rusty Olsen, DE, Washington. 11, Pat Walker, WR, Miami (Fla.). 12a, John Hankerd, LB, Notre Dame. 12b, Mandel Robinson, RB, Wyoming.
- 1982**—1, Gerald Willhite, RB, San Jose State. 2, Orlando McDaniel, WR, Louisiana State. 4, Dan Plater, WR, Brigham Young. 5, Sammy Winder, RB, Southern Mississippi. 7, Alvin Ruben, DE, Houston. 9, Keith Yecker, T, Auburn. 10, Ken Woodard, LB, Tuskegee Institute. 11, Stuard Yatsko, G, Oregon. 12, Brian Clark, G, Clemson.

MAJOR TRADES

1982

Obtained linebacker Robert L. Jackson from Cleveland for 6th-1982.
Obtained 4th-1982 (Plater) from Buffalo Bills in exchange for switching positions in first round of 1981 draft.

1981

Obtained QB Steve DeBerg from San Francisco for future undisclosed draft choice.
Obtained WR Wade Manning from Buffalo for 8th-1982.
Obtained future undisclosed draft choice from New Orleans for LB Rob Nairne.
Obtained RB Tony Reed from Kansas City for 3rd-1981 and 4th-1982.

1980

Obtained WR Emery Moorehead from New York Giants for 8th-1981.
Obtained RB Don Hardeman from Baltimore for 12th-1980.
Obtained CB Perry Smith from St. Louis for 8th-1980 and 10th-1981.
Obtained RB Lawrence McCutcheon from Los Angeles for future undisclosed draft choice.
Obtained QB Matt Robinson from New York Jets for 1st-1980, 2nd-1980, and QB Craig Penrose.

1979

Obtained 8th-1980 (Coleman) from Baltimore for P Bucky Dilts.
Obtained 2nd-1980 (Jones) and 5th-1980 (Short) and 3rd-1981 (traded to Kansas City) for DE Lyle Alzado.

1978

Obtained OT Tom Neville from New England for 10th-1979.
Obtained DB Charlie West and 6th-1979 (McIntyre) for TE Bill Gay.
Obtained future undisclosed draft choice from Detroit for center Mike Montler.

1977

Obtained RB Jim Jensen from Dallas for 6th-1979.
Obtained OT Andy Maurer from San Francisco for 9th-1978.
Obtained C Mike Montler from Buffalo for 2nd-1979.
Obtained DB Bernard Jackson from Cincinnati for 3rd-1978 and 7th-1978.
Obtained QB Craig Morton from the New York Giants for QB Steve Ramsey and 5th-1978.

1976

Obtained LB Godwin Turk from New York Jets for 5th-1977.
Obtained OT Bill Bain from Green Bay for 3rd-1977.
Obtained 9th-1976 (Likso) from St. Louis for DB Jeff Severson.

1975

Obtained DB Jeff Severson from Houston for 7th-1976.
Obtained past considerations from Kansas City for TE Billy Masters.
Obtained C Phil Olsen from Los Angeles for WR Otto Stowe and 3rd-1976 and 6th-1977.
Obtained DB Clarence Ellis from Atlanta for DB Charles Greer, WR Jerry Simmons and 6th-1976.
Obtained DT Greg Marx and 5th-1975 (Rogers) from Atlanta for OG Larron Jackson.

1974

Obtained 4th-1975 (Taylor) from Kansas City for LB Tom Graham.
Obtained 10th-1975 (Englehardt) from Kansas City for OT Tom Drougas.
Obtained 3rd-1975 (Frankowiak) from New York Giants for RB Joe Dawkins.
Obtained RB Jon Keyworth from Washington for 6th-1975 and 11th-1975.
Obtained DB John Rowser from Pittsburgh for 6th-1974 and 9th-1974.

1973

Obtained LB Ray May from Baltimore for 3rd-1974 and 8th-1974.
Obtained DB Dale Hackbart from St. Louis for 10th-1974.
Obtained LB Bill Laskey from Baltimore for 7th-1974.

Obtained WR Gene Washington from Minnesota for WR Rod Sherman and 5th-1974.

1972

Obtained 3rd-1974 (Minor) and 6th-1974 (traded to Pittsburgh) from Cleveland for QB Don Horn.
Obtained WR Haven Moses from Buffalo for WR Dwight Harrison.
Obtained 3rd-1973 (Howard) from Cleveland for DE Rich Jackson.
Obtained C Bobby Maples from Pittsburgh for 6th-1973.
Obtained OT Rick Sharp from Pittsburgh for 8th-1973.
Obtained DE-OT Lloyd Voss from Pittsburgh for 5th-1973.
Obtained QB Charley Johnson from Houston for 3rd-1973.
Obtained RB Eddie Ray and 3rd-1973 (Wood) from San Diego for DT Dave Costa.
Obtained 7th-1973 (Grant) from Baltimore for TE John Mosier.
Obtained LB Al Andrews from Buffalo for LB Dave Washington.
Obtained 5th-1973 (traded to Pittsburgh) from New Orleans for LB John Huard.

1971

Obtained RB Joe Dawkins from Houston for RB Dickie Post.
Obtained OB Larron Jackson and 5th-1972 from Houston for DB Cleophus Johnson.
Obtained LB Olen Underwood from Houston for OG Bob Young.
Obtained 5th-1972 (Krieg) from Philadelphia for QB Pete Liske.
Obtained RB Dickie Post from San Diego for 2nd-1972.
Obtained QB Steve Ramsey from New Orleans for 4th-1972.
Obtained OT Roger Shoals from Detroit for LB Carl Cunningham.
Obtained QB John Stofa from Miami for 7th-1972.
Obtained DB Butch Byrd from Buffalo for 5th-1972.
Obtained DB Leroy Mitchell from Houston for DB John Charles.
Obtained DB John Charles and 4th-1972 (Graham) from Minnesota for WR Al Denson.
Obtained QB Don Horn from Green Bay for DE Alden Roche and exchange of first round positions in 1972 draft.
Obtained K Jim Turner from New York Jets for K Bobby Howfield.

1970

Obtained DB Cornell Gordon from New York Jets for DB Gus Hollomon.
Obtained TE Jim Whalen from Boston for TE Tom Beer.
Obtained DB Paul Martha from Pittsburgh for C Walter Highsmith and OT Wallace Dickey.
Obtained RB Booker Edgerson from Buffalo for 5th-1972.
Obtained FB Willis Crenshaw from St. Louis for 3rd-1971.
Obtained TE Billy Masters from Buffalo for 5th-1971.
Obtained 8th-1971 (Beard) from Houston for RB Tom Smiley.
Obtained 4th-1971 (Alzado) from Boston for K Charlie Gogolak.

1969

Obtained RB Tom Smiley from Cincinnati for WR Eric Crabtree.
Obtained OT Walt Barnes from Kansas City for 8th-1970.

1968

Obtained a future draft choice from the New York Jets for DB Nemiah Wilson, later cancelled when Wilson was cut by the Jets.
Obtained 4th-1969 (Schnitker) from Kansas City for DT Curley Culp.
Obtained 3rd-1968 (Vaughan) from Kansas City for DB Goldie Sellers.
Obtained 4th-1968 from Kansas City for RB Wendell Hayes.
Obtained 6th-1969 (Williams) from Buffalo for RB Charlie Mitchell.

1967

Obtained QB Steve Tensi for 1st-1968 and 1st-1969.
Obtained OG Dick Tyson, LB Ray Scmutz, DE Rich Jackson from Oakland for WR Lionel Taylor and C Jerry Sturm.
Obtained RB Cookie Gilchrist, QB George Wilson, OG Erinie Park, and DE Earl Faison from Miami for DE Dan LaRose, LB Jerry Hopkins RB Abner Haynes, and 6th-1968.
Obtained WR Bill Cronin from Miami for DT Ray Jacobs.
Obtained DT Dave Costa from Buffalo for 4th-1968.
Obtained DT Rex Mirich and draft choice from Oakland for DB Willie Brown and QB Mickey Slaughter.

1966

Obtained 3rd-1967 (Current) and 5th-1967 (Lynch) from Miami for RB Cookie Gilchrist.

Obtained LB Archie Matsos from Oakland for RB Hewritt Dixon.

1965

Obtained RB Cookie Gilchrist from Buffalo for RB Billy Joe.

Obtained RB Abner Haynes from Kansas City for LB Jim Fraser.

1964

Obtained DT Stan Fanning and draft choice from Oakland for RB Gene Mingo.

Obtained QB Jacky Lee for two years use from Houston for 1st-1965 and DT Bud McFadin.

Obtained LB Marv Matuszak and DB Billy Atkins from Buffalo for C Walt Cudzik.

Obtained DT-K Dick Guesman, DE Ed Cooke, DT Charlie Janerette, OG Sid Fournet and LB Jim Price from New York Jets for DB Bob Zeman, LB Wahoo McDaniel, WR Gene Prebola and DT Gordy Holz.

1962

Obtained RB Bo Dickinson from Dallas for OG Carl Larpenier.

Obtained HB Bob Scarpitto, DB Bob Zeman and OE Luther Hayes from San Diego for cash.

1960

Obtained DB Goose Gonsoulin from Dallas for FB Jack Spikes.

EQUALIZATION, EXPANSION DRAFTS

1976—Expansion Draft: Broncos lost OT Mike Current and DT Bubba Bridges to Tampa Bay and DB Steve Taylor to Seattle.

1968—Expansion Draft: Broncos lost RB Cookie Gilchrist, OG Pat Matson, LB Henry Sorrell, RB Mike Kellogg and DB Lonnie Wright to Cincinnati.

1966—Expansion Draft: Broncos lost LB Tom Erlandson, DE Ed Cooke, OG Tommy Nomina and DB John McGeever to Miami.

1962—AFL Equalization Draft: Broncos obtain OG John Denvir from San Diego, OE Jerry Richardson from San Diego, QB Richie Lucas from Buffalo, DT Ike Lassiter from Dallas and HB Charles Bolden from Houston.

ALL-TIME ROSTER

Bob Adams	TE	Pacific	1975
Kenneth M. Adamson	G	Notre Dame	1960-62
Steve Alexakos	G	San Jose State	1970
Ted Alflen	RB	Springfield College	1969
Elihu (Buddy) Allen	HB	Utah State	1961
Donald R. Allen	FB	Texas	1960
Henry Allison	T	San Diego State	1977
Vaughn S. (Buddy) Alliston	LB	Mississippi	1960
Lyle Alzado	DE	Yankton College	1971-78
David R. Ames	HB	Richmond	1961
Robert Anderson	HB	Colorado	1970-73
Lou Andrus	LB	Brigham Young	1967
Otis Armstrong	RB	Purdue	1973-80
LeFrancis Arnold	G-C	Oregon	1974
Mike Askea	T	Stanford	1973
Billy Atkins	DB	Auburn	1964
Frank Atkinson	DE	Stanford	1964
George Atkinson	S	Morris Brown	1979
Jay Bachman	C	Cincinnati	1968-71
Bill Bain	T	So. California	1976, 1978
Ernie Barnes	G	No. Carolina Col.	1963-64
Walter Barnes	DE	Nebraska	1969-71
Odeli Barry	HB	Findlay	1964-65
James Barton	C	Marshall	1961-62
Rick Baska	LB	UCLA	1976-77
Norman Bass	DB	Pacific	1964
Tom Beer	TE	Houston	1967-69
Dave Behrman	C	Michigan State	1967
Henry Bell	HB	No college	1960
Frank Bernardi	DB	Colorado	1960
Lee Bernet	T	Wisconsin	1965-66
Keith Bishop	C-G	Baylor	1980
Gordon Bowdell	WR	Michigan State	1971
Greg Boyd	DE	San Diego State	1980-81
Greg Bracelin	LB	California	1980
Phil Brady	S	Brigham Young	1969
John Bramlett	LB	Memphis State	1965-66
Don Breaux	QB	McNeese State	1963
Bob Breitenstein	T	Tulsa	1965-67
Marlin Briscoe	QB	Omaha	1968
John W. (Red) Brodnax	FB	Louisiana State	1960
Boyd Brown	TE	Alcorn A&M	1974-76
Hardy Brown	LB	Tulsa	1960
Ken Brown	C	New Mexico	1979
Willie Brown	DB	Grambling	1963-66
Sam Brunelli	G	Colorado St. Col.	1966-71
Larry Brunson	WR	Colorado	1980
Bill Bryan	C-G	Duke	1977-81
Tom Buckman	TE	Texas A&M	1969
Fred Bukaty	FB	Kansas	1961
Bobby Burnett	RB	Arkansas	1969
George Burrell	S	Pennsylvania	1969
Steve Busick	LB	Southern California	1981
Gerry Bussell	DB	Georgia Tech	1965
Bill Butler	LB	San Fernando Valley	1970
George (Butch) Byrd	DB	Boston University	1971
Carter Campbell	DE	Weber State	1971
Larry Canada	FB	Wisconsin	1978-79, 1981
Albert R. Carmichael	HB	So. California	1960-61
Paul Carmichael	HB	El Camino JC	1965
Don Carothers	E	Bradley	1960
Kenneth L. Carpenter	E	Oregon State	1960
Rubin Carter	DT	Miami (Fla.)	1975-81
Tim Casey	LB	Oregon	1969
John E. Cash	E	Allen	1961-62
Tom Cassese	DB	C. W. Post	1967
Grady Cavness	CB	Texas-El Paso	1969
Barney Chavous	DE	So. Carolina State	1973-81
Max Choboian	QB	San Fernando State	1966
Tom Cichowski	T	Maryland	1979-81
Ralph Cindrich	LB	Pittsburgh	1974

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Kelvin Clark	T	Nebraska	1979-81
Don Coffey	E	Memphis State	1963
Steve Coleman	DE	Delaware State	1974
Ed Cooke	DE	Maryland	1964-65
Dave Costa	DT	Utah	1967-71
Bill Cottrell	G	Delaware Valley	1972
Larry Cox	DT	Abilene Christian	1966-68
Eric Crabtree	FL	Pittsburgh	1966-68
Gary Crane	LB	Arkansas State	1969
Willis Crenshaw	FB	Kansas State	1970
Ken Criter	LB	Wisconsin	1969-74
Ed Cummings	LB	Stanford	1965
Carl Cunningham	LB	Houston	1967-70
Mike Current	T	Ohio State	1967-75
Eldon V. Danenhauer	T	Pittsburg (Kan.)	1960-65
William A. Danenhauer	E	Emporia College	1960
Dick Davis	RB	Nebraska	1970
Jack T. Davis	T	Arizona	1960
Marvin Davis	DT	Wichita State	1966
Joe Dawkins	RB	Wisconsin	1971-73
Albert E. Day	T	Eastern Michigan	1960
Steve DeBerg	QB	San Jose State	1981
Al Denson	FL	Florida A&M	1964-70
John Denvir	G	Colorado	1962
Wallace Dickey	T	S.W. Texas State	1968-69
Richard L. (Bo) Dickinson	FB	So. Mississippi	1962-63
Doug (Bucky) Dilts	P	Georgia	1977-78
Hewitt Dixon	FB-TE	Florida A&M	1963-65
Zachary Dixon	RB	Temple	1979
Joe DiVito	QB	Boston College	1968
Jack Dolbin	WR	Wake Forest	1975-79
Tom Domres	DT	Wisconsin	1971-72
Richard A. (Skip) Doyle	HB	Ohio State	1960
Tom Drougas	T	Oregon	1974
Rick Duncan	K	Eastern Montana	1967
Pete Duranko	DE	Notre Dame	1967-70, 72-74
Booker Edgerson	CB	Western Illinois	1970
Ron Egloff	TE	Wisconsin	1977-81
Jim Elfrid	LB	Colorado State	1961
John Embree	WR	Compton JC	1969-70
George Hunter Enis	QB	Texas Christian	1962
John P. Epperson	E	Adams State	1960
Thomas D. Erlandson	LB	Washington State	1962-65
Mike Ernst	QB	Cal-Fullerton	1972
Terry Erwin	HB	Boston College	1968
Jay Dale Evans	HB	Kansas State	1961
Larry Evans	LB	Mississippi College	1976-81
Stan Fanning	DE	Idaho	1964
Miller Farr	DB	Wichita State	1965
Billy Ray Fletcher	E	Memphis State	1966
Steve Foley	DB	Tulane	1976-81
Garrett Ford	FB	West Virginia	1968
Fred Forsberg	LB	Washington	1968, 70-73
Jason Franci	E	Santa Barbara	1966
Mike Francowski	RB	Central Michigan	1975-76
James G. Fraser	LB-P	Wisconsin	1962-64
Al Frazier	HB	Florida A&M	1961-63
George Gaiser	T	Southern Methodist	1968
Bob Gaiters	HB	New Mexico State	1963
Drake Garrett	DB	Michigan State	1968-70
Charles E. Gavin	DE	Tennessee State	1960-63
Bob Geddes	LB	UCLA	1972
Jack Gehrke	WR	Utah	1971
Cookie Gilchrist	FB	No college	1965, 1967
Scotty Glacken	QB	Duke	1966-67
Glenn Glass	DB	Tennessee	1966
Tom Glassic	G	Virginia	1976-81
George Goedecke	G	Notre Dame	1967-72
Austin (Goose) Gonsoulin	DB	Baylor	1960-66
John Gonzaga	G	No college	1966

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Brian Goodman	G	UCLA	1975
Harvey Goodman	G	Colorado	1976
Cornell Gorden	CB	No. Carolina A&T	1970-72
Randy Gradishar	LB	Ohio State	1974-81
Tom Graham	LB	Oregon	1972-74
John Grant	DT-DE	So. California	1973-79
Charles Greer	DB	Colorado	1968-74
James D. Greer	E	Elizabeth, N.C. State	1960
John Griffin	HB	Memphis State	1964-66
Bill Groman	HB-E	Heidelberg	1963
Dick Guesman	T-K	West Virginia	1964
Donald Gulseth	LB	North Dakota	1966
Melwood N. (Buzz) Guy	G	Duke	1961-62
Dale Hackbart	S	Wisconsin	1973
Mike Haffner	E	UCLA	1968-70
Steve Haggerty	DB	Colorado	1975
Wayne Hammond	DT	Montana State	1976
Billy Hardee	DB	Virginia Tech	1976
Mike Harden	S	Michigan	1980-81
Tony Harris	WR	Toledo	1972
Dwight Harrison	WR	Texas A&I	1971-72
Maurice Harvey	DB	Ball State	1978, 1980
Johnny Ray Hatley	T	Sul Ross State	1960
Arthur A. Hauser	T	Xavier	1961
Wendell Hayes	HB	Humboldt State	1965-67
Abner Haynes	HB	North Texas State	1965-66
Alfred Haywood	RB	Bethune-Cookman	1975
Jerry Hendren	WR	Idaho	1970
Gary Henson	E	Colorado	1964
Lonnie Hepburn	CB	Texas Southern	1974
George W. Herring	QB-P	So. Mississippi	1960-61
Mark Herrmann	QB	Purdue	1981
Bo Hickey	FB	Maryland	1967
Walter Highsmith	C	Florida A&M	1968-69
Jack Hill	HB	Utah State	1961
George Hoey	DB	Michigan	1975
John Hoffman	DE	Hawaii	1972
John Hohman	G	Wisconsin	1965-66
Gus Holloman	DB	Houston	1968-69
Gordon Holz	DT	Minnesota	1960-63
Jerry Hopkins	LB	Texas A&M	1963-66
Don Horn	QB	San Diego State	1971-72
Paul Howard	G	Brigham Young	1973-75, 1977-81
Bobby Howfield	K	No college	1968-70
John Huard	LB	Maine	1967-69
Robert Hudson	LB	Clemson	1960-61
John Hufnagel	QB	Penn State	1974-75
Bob Humphreys	K	Wichita State	1967-68
Glenn Hyde	G-T	Pittsburgh	1976-81
Martin Imhof	DE	San Diego State	1976
Jerry Inman	DT	Oregon	1966-71, 73
Bernard Jackson	DB	Washington State	1977-80
Larron Jackson	G	Missouri	1971-74
Richard Jackson	DE	Southern	1967-72
Tom Jackson	LB	Louisville	1973-81
Frank Jackunas	C	Detroit	1963
Ray Jacobs	DT	Howard Payne	1963-66
Charlie Janerette	DT	Penn State	1964-65
Tom Janik	DB-P	Texas A&I	1963-64
Pete Jaquess	DB	E. New Mexico	1967-70
Jim Jensen	RB	Iowa	1977, 1979-80
William Jessup	E	Southern California	1960
Eugene Jeter	LB	Arkansas AM&N	1965-67
William (Billy) Joe	FB	Villanova	1963-64
Charley Johnson	QB	New Mexico State	1972-75
Calvin Jones	CB	Washington	1973-76
Henry Jones	RB	Grambling	1969
Jimmy Jones	WR	Wisconsin	1968
Rulon Jones	DE	Utah State	1980-81
Larry Jordan	E-LB	Youngstown	1962-64
Donald G. Joyce	E	Tulane	1962

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Larry Kaminski	C	Purdue	1966-73
Bob Kampa	DT	California	1974
Bill Keating	DT	Michigan	1966-67
Mike Kellogg	FB	Santa Clara	1966-67
Jon Keyworth	RB	Colorado	1974-80
Jim Kiick	RB	Wyoming	1976-77
Donald W. King	E	Kentucky	1960
Vince Kinney	WR	Maryland	1978-79
Jeff Knapple	QB	Northern Colorado	1980
Robert E. Konovsky	E	Wisconsin	1961
Jim Krieg	WR	Washington	1972
Gary Kroner	K	Wisconsin	1965-67
Ray Kubala	C	Texas A&M	1964-67
Frank W. Kuchta	C	Notre Dame	1960
Aaron Kyle	CB	Wyoming	1980-81
Ron Lamb	FB	South Carolina	1968
Gordon Lambert	LB	Tennessee-Martin	1968-69
Patsy C. Lamberti, Jr.	LB	Richmond	1961
Ken Lanier	T	Florida State	1981
Dan LaRose	DE	Missouri	1966
Carl James Larpenter	G	Texas	1960-61
Bill Larson	TE	Colorado State	1980
Bill Laskey	LB	Michigan	1973-74
Isaac T. Lassiter	E	St. Augustine	1962-64
Kit Lathrop	DE	Arizona State	1979
Don Latimer	DT	Miami (Fla.)	1978-81
Jim Leclair	QB	C. W. Post	1967-68
Roger LeClerc	C	Trinity (Conn.)	1967
Jacky Lee	QB	Cincinnati	1964-65
Max Leetow	DE	Idaho	1965-66
Mike Lemon	LB	Kansas	1975
Jack Lentz	S	Holy Cross	1967-68
Darrell Lester	FB	McNeese State	1965-66
Herman Lewis	DE	Virginia Union	1968
Hub Lindsey	HB	Wyoming	1968
Pete Liske	QB	Penn State	1969-70
Floyd Little	HB	Syracuse	1967-75
Tommy Luke	LB	Mississippi	1968
Fran Lynch	HB	Hofstra	1967-75
Tom Lyons	G	Georgia	1971-76
Rob Lytle	RB	Michigan	1977-81
Ernest G. (Pete) Mangum	LB	Mississippi	1960
Wade Manning	WR	Ohio State	1981
Brison Manor	DE	Arkansas	1977-81
Bobby Maples	C	Baylor	1972-78
Charles E. Marshall	HB	Oregon State	1962
Paul Martha	S	Pittsburgh	1970
Billy Masters	TE	LSU	1970-74
Pat Matson	G	Oregon	1966-67
Archie Matsos	LB	Michigan State	1966
Jack Mattox	T	Fresno State	1961-62
Marv Matuszak	LB	Tulsa	1964
Andy Maurer	T	Oregon	1977
Ray May	LB	So. California	1973-75
Brendan McCarthy	FB	Boston College	1968-69
John McCormick	QB	Massachusetts	1963, 65-66, 68
Robert V. McCullough	G	Colorado	1962-65
Lawrence McCutcheon	RB	Colorado State	1980
Ed (Wahoo) McDaniel	LB	Oklahoma	1961-63
Lewis B. (Bud) McFadin	DT	Texas	1960-63
John McGeever	DB	Auburn	1962-65
Bill McKoy	LB	Purdue	1970-72
James R. McMillin	DB	Colorado State	1960-62, 1964-65
Robert McNamara	HB	Minnesota	1960-61
Mark Merrill	LB	Minnesota	1981
Eugene Mingo	HB-K	No college	1960-64
Claudia Minor	T	San Diego State	1974-81
Tommy Earl Minter	HB	Baylor	1962
Rex Mirich	DE	Northern Arizona	1967-69
Alvin Mitchell	S-WR	Morgan State	1970
Charlie Mitchell	HB	Washington	1963-67
Leroy Mitchell	CB	Texas Southern	1971-73

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Marv Montgomery	T	So. California	1971-76
Randy Montgomery	CB	Weber State	1971-73
Mike Montler	C	Colorado	1977
Alex Moore	HB	Norfolk State	1968
Bob Moore	TE	Stanford	1978
Leroy Moore	DE	Fort Valley (Ga.)	1964-65
Randy Moore	DT	Arizona State	1976
Emery Moorehead	WR-RB	Colorado	1980
Craig Morton	QB	California	1977-81
Haven Moses	WR	San Diego State	1972-81
John Mosier	TE	Kansas	1971
Bobby Moten	TE	Bishop College	1968
Chip Myrtle	LB	Maryland	1967-72
Rob Nairne	LB	Oregon State	1977-80
Tom Neville	T	Mississippi State	1978
Ron Nery	E	Wisconsin	1963
Lee (Mike) Nichols	C	Arkansas A&M	1960-61
John Nocera	LB	Iowa	1963
Tom Nomina	T	Miami (Ohio)	1963-65
Ben Norman	RB	Colorado State	1980
Philip H. Nugent	HB	Tulane	1961
Tom Oberg	S	Portland State	1968-69
Riley Odoms	TE	Houston	1972-81
Phil Olsen	C	Utah State	1975-76
Harold Olson	T	Clemson	1963-64
John Olszewski	FB	California	1962
Jim O'Malley	LB	Notre Dame	1973-75
Chris Pane	DB	Chico State	1976-79
Ernie Park	G	McMurry State	1967
Charlie Parker	G	So. Mississippi	1965
Don Parish	LB	Stanford	1972
Rick Parros	RB	Utah State	1981
Al Pastrana	QB	Maryland	1969-70
Craig Penrose	QB	San Diego State	1976-79
James W. Perkins	T	Colorado	1962-64
Lonnie Perrin	RB	Illinois	1976-78
Anton Peters	T	Florida	1963
John Pitts	S	Arizona State	1973-75
Dave Pivec	TE	Notre Dame	1969
Bobby Ply	DB	Baylor	1967
Dickie Post	RB	Houston	1971
Randy Polt	DB	Stanford	1975-77
Eugene Prebola	E	Boston University	1961-63
Steve Preece	S	Oregon State	1972
Dave Preston	HB	Bowling Green	1978-81
Luke Prestridge	P	Baylor	1979-81
James Price	LB	Auburn	1964
Errol Prisyb	DB	Cincinnati	1967
John J. Pyeatt	HB	No college	1960
Frank Quayle	RB	Virginia	1969
Bruce Radford	DE	Grambling	1979
Steve Ramsey	QB	North Texas State	1971-76
Leo T. Reed	T	Colorado State	1961
Tony Reed	RB	Colorado	1981
Randy Rich	DB	New Mexico	1977
Bob Richardson	DB	UCLA	1966
Frank Richter	LB	Georgia	1967-69
Larry Riley	DB	Salem College	1977
Joe Rizzo	LB	Merchant Marines	1974-80
Matt Robinson	QB	Georgia	1980
Alden Roche	DE	Southern University	1970
William E. Roehnel	LB	Bradley	1961-62
Stan Rogers	T	Maryland	1975
David S. Rolle	FB	Oklahoma	1960-61
Albert Romine	HB	Florence State	1960
Oliver Ross	RB	Alabama A&M	1973-75
Tobin Rote	QB	Rice	1966
Justin D. Rowland	HB	Texas Christian	1962
John Rowser	DB	Michigan	1974-76
Jim Ryan	LB	William and Mary	1979-81

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Tom Rychlec	E	American International	1963
George Saimes	S	Michigan State	1970-72
Ron Sbranti	LB	Utah State	1966
Robert Scarpitto	WR-P	Notre Dame	1962-67
Carl Schaukowitz	G	Penn State	1975
Steve Schindler	G	Boston College	1977-78
Mike Schnitker	G	Colorado	1969-74
John Schultz	WR	Maryland	1976-78
Lew Scott	DB	Oregon State	1966
James H. Sears	HB	So. California	1960-61
Goldie Sellers	DB	Grambling	1966-67
Jeff Severson	DB	Long Beach State	1975
Don Shackelford	G	Pacific	1964
Rick Sharp	T	Washington	1972
George H. Shaw	QB	Oregon	1962
Rod Sherman	WR	Southern California	1972
Roger T. Shoals	T	Maryland	1971
Laval Short	DT	Colorado	1980
Jerry Simmons	WR	Bethune-Cookman	1971-74
Leon Simmons	LB	Grambling	1963
Mike Simone	LB	Stanford	1972-74
Jack M. Simpson	LB	Mississippi	1961
John Sklopan	HB	So. Mississippi	1963
Milton (Mickey) Slaughter	QB	Louisiana Tech	1963-66
Tom Smiley	RB	Lamar Tech	1969
Art Smith	LB	Hawaii	1980
Daniel Eugene Smith	HB	Northeast Oklahoma	1961
Dennis Smith	DB-WR	Southern California	1981
Don Smith	G	Florida A&M	1967
Ed Smith	DE	Colorado College	1973-75
Harold Smith	T	UCLA	1960
Hugh B. Smith	E	Kansas	1962
James Smith	S	Utah State	1969
Paul Smith	DT-DE	New Mexico	1968-78
Perry Smith	DB	Colorado State	1980-81
Willie Smith	G	Michigan	1960
Matt Snorton	TE	Michigan State	1964
Roland Solomon	CB	Utah	1981
Henry Sorrell	LB	Chattanooga	1967
Jerry N. Stalcup	LB	Wisconsin	1961-62
Bruce Starling	HB	Florida	1963
Larry Steele	P	Santa Rosa	1974
Fred Steinfort	K	Boston College	1979-81
James E. Stinnette	FB-LB	Oregon State	1961-62
Jesse Stokes	DB	Corpus Christi	1968
Don E. Stone	FB	Arkansas	1961-64
Otto Stowe	WR	Iowa State	1974
Robert J. Stransky	HB	Colorado	1960
David Strickland	T-G	Memphis State	1960
Dave Studdard	T	Texas	1979-81
Jerry G. Sturm	C-T-G	Illinois	1961-66
Jim Summers	DB	Michigan State	1967
Neal Sweeney	FL	Tulsa	1967
Bob Swenson	LB	California	1975-79, 1981
Gene Sykes	DB	Louisiana State	1967
George Tarasovic	DE	Louisiana State	1967
Jerry L. Tarr	E	Oregon	1962
Lionel T. Taylor	E	New Mexico Highlands	1960-66
Steve Tensi	QB	Florida State	1967-70
Jim Thibert	LB	Toledo	1965
Earlie Thomas	DB	Colorado State	1975
Arland Thompson	G	Baylor	1980
Bill Thompson	DB	Maryland State	1969-81
Jim Thompson	DT	Southern Illinois	1965
Dave Tobey	LB	Oregon	1968
Jerry Traynham	HB	Southern California	1961
Steve Trimble	CB	Maryland	1981
Frank Tripucka	QB	Notre Dame	1960-63
Godwin Turk	LB	Southern Univ.	1976-78
Clem Turner	RB	Cincinnati	1970-72
Jim Turner	K	Utah State	1971-79

Maurice Tyler	S	Morgan State	1973-74
Richard Tyson	G	Tulsa	1967
Rick Upchurch	WR	Minnesota	1975-81
Olen Underwood	LB	Texas	1971
Bill Van Heusen	WR-P	Maryland	1968-76
Bob Vaughan	G	Mississippi	1968
Lloyd Voss	T	Nebraska	1972
Bob Wade	CB	Morgan State	1970
Clarence Walker	HB	Southern Illinois	1963
Dave Washington	LB	Alcorn A&M	1971
Dave Washington	E	Southern California	1968
Gene Washington	WR	Michigan State	1973
Steve Watson	WR	Temple	1979-81
Norris Weese	QB	Mississippi	1976-79
Theodore A. Wegert	FB	No college	1961
Bill West	CB	Tennessee State	1972
Charlie West	DB	UTEP	1978-79
Willie West	DB	Oregon	1964
Max Wettstein	E	Florida State	1966
Jim Whalen	TE	Boston College	1970-71
Andre White	TE	Florida A&M	1967
Jim White	DE	Colorado State	1976
Harold Williams	HB	Miami (Ohio)	1961
Wandy Williams	RB	Hofstra	1969-70
Nemiah Wilson	DB	Grambling	1965-67
Malcolm Richard Wood	QB	Auburn	1962
James Earl Wright	HB	Memphis State	1964
Jim Wright	TE	Texas Christian	1980-81
Lonnie Wright	DB	Colorado State	1966-67
Louis Wright	DB	San Jose State	1975-81
William G. Yelverton	E	Mississippi	1960
Joseph A. Young	E	Arizona	1960-61
Robert Young	G	Howard Payne	1966-70
E. Robert Zeman	DB	Wisconsin	1962-63

Schools Represented

Colorado 17; Wisconsin 15; Southern California 12; Maryland 11; Oregon 11; Colorado State 10; Michigan State 8; Notre Dame 8; Utah State 8; Baylor 7; Michigan 7; Mississippi 7; San Diego State 7; Boston College 6; UCLA 6; California 5; Houston 5; Texas 5; Tulsa 5; Washington 5; Auburn 4; Cincinnati 4; Georgia 4; Kansas 4; Louisiana State 4; Minnesota 4; Nebraska 4; Ohio State 4; Penn State 4; Pittsburgh 4; Purdue 4; Southern Mississippi 4; 17 with three each, 37 with two each, 89 with one each. Seven players did not attend college.

NOTE: 176 schools are represented.

Service

THIRTEEN YEARS — Bill Thompson, 1969-1981.

TWELVE YEARS — None.

ELEVEN YEARS — Paul Smith 1967-78.

TEN YEARS — Haven Moses 1972-81; Riley Odoms 1972-81.

NINE YEARS — Barney Chavous 1973-81; Mike Current 1967-75; Tom Jackson 1973-81; Floyd Little 1967-75; Fran Lynch 1967-75; Jim Turner 1971-79; Billy Van Heusen 1968-76.

EIGHT YEARS — Lyle Alzado 1971-78; Otis Armstrong 1973-80; Randy Gradishar 1974-81; Paul Howard 1973-75, 1977-81; Larry Kaminski 1966-73; Claudie Minor 1974-81.

SEVEN YEARS — Al Denson 1964-70; Rubin Carter 1975-81; Pete Duranko 1967-70, 1972-74; Goose Gonsoulin 1960-66; John Grant 1973-79; Charles Greer 1968-74; Jerry Inman 1966-71, 1973; Jon Keyworth 1974-80; Bobby Maples 1972-78; Joe Rizzo 1974-80; Lionel Taylor 1960-66; Rick Upchurch 1975-81; Louis Wright 1975-81.

SIX YEARS — Sam Brunelli 1966-71; Ken Criter 1969-74; Larry Evans 1976-81; George Goeddeke 1967-72; Steve Foley 1976-81; Tom Glassic 1976-81; Glenn Hyde 1976-81; Richard Jackson 1967-72; Tommy Lyons 1971-76; Marv Montgomery 1971-76; Chip Myrtle 1967-72; Steve Ramsey 1971-76; Bob Scarpitto 1962-67; Mike Schnitker 1969-74; Jerry Sturm 1961-66; Bob Swenson 1975-79, 1981.

FIVE YEARS — Bill Bryan 1977-81; Dave Costa 1967-71; Jack Dolbin 1975-79; Ron Egloff 1977-81; Fred Forsberg 1968, 1970-73; Rob Lytle 1977-81; Brison Manor 1977-81; Billy Masters 1970-74; Gene Mingo 1960-64; Charlie Mitchell 1963-67; Bob Young 1966-70.

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

1959

AUGUST 14—First American Football League organizational meeting held in Chicago. Denver, with Bob Howsam as its principal owner, named as a charter member along with New York, Dallas, Los Angeles, Minneapolis and Houston. **NOVEMBER 22**—First player selection draft held through 32 rounds. Denver's first pick is Roger LeClerc, center, Trinity. **DECEMBER 1**—Dean Griffing named general manager of the Broncos. **DECEMBER 2**—Second player selection draft of 20 rounds held.

1960

JANUARY 1—Frank Filchock named first head coach of the Broncos. **JANUARY 30**—Denver placed in AFL's western division with Dallas, Oakland and Los Angeles. **JUNE 9**—AFL signs five-year television contract with the American Broadcasting Company. **JULY**—First Bronco training camp opens at Colorado School of Mines. **SEPTEMBER 9**—After losing all five pre-season games, the Broncos become the first AFL victor when they defeat the Patriots in Boston in history's first AFL game, 13-10. Attendance—21,597. **SEPTEMBER 23**—Lionel Taylor, a cut of the Chicago Bears, plays first game for Broncos in New York. **OCTOBER 2**—Broncos play first home game in Bears Stadium, defeat Oakland, 31-24, before crowd of 18,372. **DECEMBER**—Offensive End Lionel Taylor, Defensive Tackle Bud McFadin and Safety Goose Gonsoulin all named to first official all-AFL team.

1961

MAY 26—Bob and Lee Howsam, original principal owners of the Broncos, sell their stock to a new syndicate headed by Cal Kunz and Gerry Phipps. **JUNE 1**—Cal Kunz named president and operating head of Empire Sports. **DECEMBER**—Lionel Taylor sets professional record with 100 pass receptions for season. Taylor and Bud McFadin named to all-AFL team. **DECEMBER**—Frank Filchock released as Broncos head coach.

1962

FEBRUARY 1—Jack Faulkner hired as Broncos head coach. **JULY 1**—Dean Griffing released as Broncos general manager. Faulkner named to dual post as head coach and general manager. **JULY**—Public burning ceremony of Broncos' notorious vertically striped socks at Broncos' intrasquad game. **AUGUST 24**—Broncos defeat Dallas Texans, 27-24, in Fort Worth in first overtime game played by the Broncos. It was also Denver's first win over the Texans. **SEPTEMBER 7**—Broncos open regular season with 31-21 win over defending western division champion San Diego before turnaway crowd at D.U. stadium. **DECEMBER**—Jack Faulkner named coach of the year in AFL. Gene Mingo set professional field goal record of 27 in a season. Eldon Danenhauer, Lionel Taylor, Goose Gonsoulin and Bob Zeman named to the official all-AFL team.

1963

JULY 18—Bronco rookies defeat Houston rookies, 17-14, before 6500 in Colorado Springs in first pro rookie game ever played. **AUGUST**—Charlie Mitchell, Tom Janik and Tom Nomina, all future Broncos, play in College All-Star game in Chicago. **DECEMBER**—Billy Joe named AFL rookie of the year, Goose Gonsoulin only Bronco to make the all-AFL team. Lionel Taylor wins fourth straight pass receiving title.

1964

JANUARY—Broncos and Jets complete historic nine-player trade, largest ever made in the AFL. Broncos send Gene Prebola, Wahoo McDaniel, Gordy Holz and Bob Zeman to Jets for Dick Guesman, Ed Cooke, Charlie Janerette, Jim Price and Sid Fournet. **JANUARY 29**—AFL signs five-year television contract with the National Broadcasting Company for a record \$36,000,000. **AUGUST 14**—Broncos obtained quarterback Jacky Lee from Houston in unique "lend-lease" trade for Bud McFadin, No. 1 draft choice and cash. **SEPTEMBER 12**—Jets and Broncos

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open the regular season in New York's Shea Stadium before a then record crowd of 53,190 (45,665 paid). **OCTOBER 4**—Jack Faulkner released as head coach. **OCTOBER 5**—Mac Speedie accepts appointment as interim head coach. **OCTOBER 11**—Broncos win first game under Mac Speedie by defeating Kansas City, 33-27. **DECEMBER 12**—Mac Speedie named head coach. **DECEMBER**—Jim Fraser wins third straight punting title. Willie Brown named to all-AFL team. Broncos sign high draft choice Bob Breitenstein (Tulsa) and Gerry Bussell (Georgia Tech), both No. 1 picks of NFL teams.

1965

JANUARY 16—AFL meeting in Houston. Cal Kunz gives first public indication that all may not be well with Bronco franchise in Denver. **FEBRUARY 15**—Gerald and Allan Phipps purchase 52 percent of the stock of Empire Sports, thus giving them virtually 100 percent ownership and saving the Bronco franchise for Denver. **FEBRUARY 16**—Fabulous season ticket drive begins with sale of 143 season tickets, a Denver record at that time. **MARCH 5**—Record sale of 941 season tickets in one day. **APRIL 1**—Season ticket drive goal of 20,000 sales reached. Figure to reach 22,000 by May 1. **MAY 17**—Allan Phipps named president of Empire Sports, Inc. Gerry Phipps re-named Chairman of the Board. Richard S. Kitchen, Sr., and Robert T. Person named to the board of directors. **MAY 29**—Jim Burris, Bears general manager, named executive vice-president of Empire Sports, Inc., a position carrying with it the duties normally associated with those of a football general manager. **OCTOBER 3**—Broncos defeat New York, 16-13, before a then overflow crowd of 34,988. **DECEMBER 12**—Lionel Taylor makes the 500th catch of his career in game against Boston to become the first AFL player to top this figure. **DECEMBER 12**—Broncos conclude home season with total attendance of 219,786, an average of 34,398 per game. Both the total and average attendance were American Football League western division records. Six of seven home crowds topped the 30,000 mark. **DECEMBER**—Tackle Eldon Danenhauer, Split End Lionel Taylor and Fullback Cookie Gilchrist named to the all-AFL team, thus giving the Broncos more all-star players on their offensive unit than any other AFL team. Lionel Taylor wins fifth pass receiving crown and Abner Haynes wins league kickoff return championship.

1966

FEBRUARY 1—Record early-season ticket sale passes 15,000 for the 1966 season. **MARCH**—Governor Love signs into law legislative act creating a metropolitan stadium district. Voters of a four-county metropolitan region will vote on building a multi-million dollar all-purpose metropolitan stadium before March, 1967. **JUNE 8**—Merger of American and National Leagues announced. Season ticket sales surge forward as enthusiastic fans crowd box office. **SEPTEMBER 19**—Ray Malavasi named Head Coach of the Broncos, replacing Mac Speedie, who resigned the previous day. **DECEMBER**—John Bramlett, Goose Gonsoulin, Bob Scarpitto and Jerry Sturm chosen to play in AFL All-Star contest in January. **DECEMBER 19**—Lou Saban signs a 10-year contract as General Manager and Head Coach of the Denver Broncos.

1967

FEBRUARY—Gerald Phipps named Chairman of American Football League Executive Committee. **MARCH 1**—Broncos move to new suburban executive offices with adjacent practice field and locker room facilities for both pre-season and regular season training. **MARCH 7**—Metropolitan Denver voters turn down stadium bond issue, but Bronco fans immediately organize for fund raising drive to improve Bears Stadium and keep Broncos in Denver. **MAY 17**—Floyd Little, Denver's No. 1 draft choice, signs with Broncos. Little becomes the first No. 1 choice to sign with Denver in the history of the club. **AUGUST 5**—Broncos defeat Detroit Lions 13-7 in pre-season game at DU for AFL's first win over the NFL. **AUGUST 15**—Quarterback Steve Tensi acquired from San Diego for first round draft choices in both 1968 and 1969. **SEPTEMBER 3**—Bronco season ticket figure winds up at a (then) record 24,650. **DECEMBER**—Broncos close out season by establishing a new home attendance record of 231,801, an average of 33,114 per game. **DECEMBER**—Floyd Little paces AFL in punt returning with a 16.9 average. Bob Scarpitto repeats as

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

punt leader with a 44.9 norm. Flanker Al Denson selected All-League in player balloting.

1968

JANUARY—Flanker Al Denson, defensive tackle Dave Costa, center Larry Kaminski and cornerback Nemiah Wilson participate in AFL All-Star game. Lou Saban and staff coach the West stars. **FEBRUARY**—Civic drive to raise \$1.8 million ends successfully and City of Denver receives stadium as a gift after purchase of the facility from Empire Sports, Inc. by non-profit group. Construction begins on 16,000 seat upper deck that will raise capacity to 50,000 for 1968 season. **SEPTEMBER 21**—Broncos move into new administrative building at 5700 Logan Street. **SEPTEMBER 28**—Broncos set all-time season ticket sale with a 27,348 figure. **NOVEMBER 10**—Denver sets all-time one-game home attendance record by playing before a capacity crowd of 50,002 against the Oakland Raiders. **DECEMBER 14**—Bears Stadium is officially re-named Denver Mile High Stadium.

1969

JANUARY 19—Dave Costa, Rich Jackson and Floyd Little participate in AFL All-Star Game in Jacksonville, Florida. **MAY 13**—Broncos set all-time season ticket sale with figure of 27,413, which is 65 more than the 1968 season sale. Figure is to hit 31,936 before regular season opens. **SEPTEMBER 21**—Denver sets all-time one-game home attendance record by playing before capacity crowd of 50,583 against the New York Jets. **OCTOBER 19**—Little rushes for 166 yards against Cincinnati, at Cincinnati. Top single game rushing effort by running back in either league. **NOVEMBER 2**—Denver shuts out the San Diego Chargers at Denver Mile High Stadium (13-0). First shutout for Broncos in 10-year history in AFL. **DECEMBER**—Floyd Little and Rich Jackson named to first team All League. **DECEMBER**—Bill Thompson (rookie) tops AFL list in punt and kickoff returns. First player in 10-year history of AFL to ever hold both titles.

1970

JANUARY 17—Rich Jackson, Dave Costa, Floyd Little, Mike Current and George Goeddeke play in All-Star game on West team. **MAY 7**—Bobby Anderson, #1 draft choice in common draft held January 27, signs contract with Denver Broncos. **SEPTEMBER**—Season ticket sale hits record number of 43,584. **SEPTEMBER 27**—Broncos open home season before record Mile High Stadium crowd of 50,705 with 16-13 win over Steelers. **NOVEMBER 15**—Addition of north stand bleacher section enables new Mile High Stadium record of 50,959 to see Broncos lose narrow decision to Oakland, 24-19, in final two minutes of play. **DECEMBER 20**—Record crowd of 51,001 for final game of season as Cleveland Browns stop Denver, 27-13. **DECEMBER 20**—Floyd Little gains 44 yards to win American Conference rushing title with 901 yards. It was first rushing crown and first season Little played in all 14 games.

1971

JANUARY—Richard Jackson named to official National Football League all-star team. **JANUARY**—Richard Jackson and Floyd Little make starting lineups for American Conference in first AFC-NFC Pro Bowl game. **APRIL 19**—Marv Montgomery, Denver's number one draft choice, signs his 1971 contract. **MAY 12**—Broncos stop sale of season tickets at record 47,500. **SEPTEMBER 19**—Broncos open season with 10-10 tie against eventual Super Bowl entry, Miami, before first of seven sell-out crowds at Mile High Stadium. **OCTOBER 24**—Denver coach Lou Saban and Broncos down Cleveland 27-0, on same field Saban starred as all-star linebacker in Cleveland. It was first time Browns were shut-out since 1952. It was also to be Saban's last victory as Bronco coach. Attendance was 75,674, largest crowd to date to view Denver. **NOVEMBER 17**—Lou Saban resigns as head coach of Broncos, a position he had held for five years. Offensive line coach Jerry Smith is named interim head coach. Saban, in December, resigns as General Manager to return to Buffalo Bills as head coach. **DECEMBER 19**—Floyd Little compiles 79 yards against Raiders in Oakland to finish as pro football's top runner with 1,133 yards. Little also becomes first Bronco to rush for more than 1,000 yards in a season.

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1972

JANUARY 5—John Ralston, successful head coach at Stanford, is announced as Denver's new head coach. He later adds the title of General Manager. **FEBRUARY 28**—Broncos' Number One draft pick, Riley Odums, TE, from Houston, inks multi-year contract. **MARCH 16**—For the first time in the history of Denver professional football, there will be no public sale of season tickets, it is reported. Season ticket holders renewed 46,500 of the 47,500 available season tickets, and further exercised their option for 8,000 additional tickets, thus assuring Denver of its third straight year of sellouts. **APRIL 5**—Long-time Rocky Mountain Empire Sports employee Earl Hartman dies of cancer. Hartman was Treasurer of Empire Sports and Business Manager of the Broncos at the time of his death. **AUGUST 16**—Charley Johnson, NFL veteran quarterback, becomes a Bronco as Ralston trades third round choice to Houston. Johnson will become Denver's most accurate passer (.555) in the upcoming season. **OCTOBER 29**—Floyd Little is given his "day" at Mile High Stadium before a sell-out crowd. In pre-game ceremonies, Little receives numerous gifts including a boat. However, Broncos are unable to whip Cleveland as Browns win, 27-20. Floyd's day was in honor of his winning NFL rushing championship in 1971. **DECEMBER 10**—San Diego is on short end of 38-13 score played at Mile High Stadium with the temperature at kickoff reportedly nine degrees. This is the coldest kickoff ever for a Denver team.

1973

JANUARY 30—Otis Armstrong, all-star running back from Purdue, is Denver's first round selection in annual draft. **MARCH 3**—Season ticket holders renew 47,800 of 48,000 season tickets to assure Denver again of having no public sale of season tickets. Season ticket holders asked for additional 11,000 tickets—if they become available. **OCTOBER 14**—Charley Johnson also becomes the 18th quarterback in pro football history to go over 20,000 yards lifetime as he connects for 214 yards plus three TDs to Haven Moses in a 48-20 win at Houston. **OCTOBER 22**—With "Orange Monday" banners waving, the Broncos perhaps play the most important game to date in the club's history against Oakland on national television. Denver comes back to knot the contest, 23-23, on a 35-yard field goal by Jim Turner. **NOVEMBER 25**—Denver defeats Kansas City, 14-10, on two Charley Johnson to Haven Moses passes to take over first place in the AFC West with three games to go. The win moves the Broncos to 6-3-2—the six victories the second best mark ever for a Denver team to date. **DECEMBER 9**—Denver 42, San Diego 28! The Broncos are winners at last, as Denver clinches the team's seventh victory of the season, assuring the club of a winning year. Jim Turner contributed 16 points in San Diego. **DECEMBER 16**—A tie or loss would do no good in this afternoon's game in Oakland. A win would give the Broncos the Western Division title in the AFC, but the Broncos lose 21-17.

1974

JANUARY—Four Broncos, Floyd Little, Haven Moses, Riley Odums and Paul Smith, are invited to play in the Pro Bowl, giving Denver good representation. In addition, John Ralston is named AFC Coach of the Year for guiding Denver to its first winning season ever. Odums, incidentally, is named All-Pro by NEA. Additional honors go to Charley Johnson on offense and Paul Smith on defense for being the team's most valuable players as voted by their teammates. These two men are the 1973 winners of the Earl Hartman Memorial awards. **JANUARY 29-30**—The Broncos draft with defense in mind as three of the team's first four choices are defenders paced by Ohio State linebacker Randy Gradishar. **MARCH**—Only 165 of the 48,000 season tickets sold are not renewed for 1974. Denver then sells an additional 1,000, bringing the total number of season tickets sold to 49,000. **SEPTEMBER 10**—Denver voters pass a \$25 million bond issue to expand and improve Mile High Stadium to over 75,000 seats. The stadium was projected to be finished in time for the 1976 regular season. **SEPTEMBER 22**—The Broncos and the Pittsburgh Steelers play in the first regular season overtime game as a 35-35 score was present at the end of regulation play. Neither team scored in the sudden death period. **NOVEMBER 28**—Before a television audience estimated at 35 million, the Broncos riddle the Detroit Lions 31-27 on Denver's first Thanksgiving Day game in Detroit. **DECEMBER 8**—Denver assures itself of the team's second consecutive winning season and Otis Armstrong sets a single game rushing mark of 183 yards as the Broncos down Houston 37-14.

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

DECEMBER 15—Although Denver loses at San Diego, Otis Armstrong finishes the season with 1407 yards and the NFL rushing title becoming one of a half dozen players ever to average more than 100 yards per game in pro football.

1975

JANUARY—Otis Armstrong and Riley Odoms represent the Broncos in the annual Pro Bowl game in Miami, Fla. Additional honors go to Armstrong as he is voted the top offensive player on the team. Tom Jackson was voted the top Defender and Ken Criter the top Specialist. **FEBRUARY**—Expansion of Mile High Stadium begins which will provide 63,500 capacity for the 1976 season and an ultimate capacity of 75,000 in 1977. **SEPTEMBER 29**—The Broncos defeat Green Bay, 23-13, for their first victory ever on Monday Night Football. **DECEMBER 14**—Playing his last home game as a Denver Bronco, Floyd Little goes out with a bang. The club's first No. 1 draft choice to sign, Little rushes for 56 yards and one TD, catches five passes for 94 yards, including a 66-yard touchdown, to lead the Broncos to a 25-10 win over Philadelphia. Little winds up his career as the seventh all-time rusher in the NFL with 6,323 yards.

1976

JANUARY 26—Tight end Riley Odoms and linebacker Randy Gradishar are the Broncos representatives in the Pro Bowl in New Orleans. For Odoms, it is the third straight year he has played in the game, while Gradishar, making his first appearance, keeps alive the string of John Ralston's first draft choices playing in the game after their second year in the league. **MARCH 28**—Quarterback Charley Johnson announces his retirement from the National Football League after a 15-year career. Johnson led the club to its first two winning seasons in 1973 and 1974. **APRIL 21**—Season ticket sales are cut off at 62,215, assuring the Broncos of their seventh straight sellout season. **JUNE 27**—Lyle Alzado is one of three finalists for the man of the Year Award and Rick Upchurch is honored as the American Conference Offensive Rookie of the Year by the NFL Players Association at its annual banquet in Chicago. **SEPTEMBER 19**—In the expanded Mile High Stadium, the Broncos whip the Jets, 46-3, before 62,669 fans, the largest crowd ever to witness a sporting event in the state of Colorado. The record will fall for each of the next three home games, the final mark being 63,431 against Oakland on October 17. **SEPTEMBER 26**—Rick Upchurch ties an NFL record by returning two punts for touchdowns in a 44-13 win over the visiting Cleveland Browns. **OCTOBER 24**—Rick Upchurch ties an NFL record with his fourth punt return touchdown of the season in a 35-26 win over Kansas City. **NOVEMBER 7**—With two field goals and six extra points, Jim Turner becomes the fifth player in pro football history to surpass 1,200 points in a 48-13 win over Tampa Bay. **NOVEMBER 14**—The Broncos blank San Diego, 17-0, for Denver's second shutout of the season, a figure matching the team's total in its first 16 years of play. **DECEMBER 12**—The Broncos stop Chicago, 28-14, for the ninth win of the season, highest total in Denver history. Otis Armstrong rushes for 116 yards to reach 1,008 for the season, his second 1,000-yard year in his career. **DECEMBER 18**—Fred Gehrke, long-time Bronco administrator, is named general manager as the club divides duties of head coach and general manager for the first time since 1967.

1977

JANUARY 17—Rick Upchurch and Otis Armstrong are the Bronco participants in the annual AFC-NFC Pro Bowl in Seattle, won by the AFC, 24-14. **JANUARY 31**—John Ralston resigns as Head Coach of the Denver Broncos. **FEBRUARY 1**—Robert (Red) Miller, a former Bronco assistant coach, is named as the team's eighth head coach. **FEBRUARY 4**—Carroll Hardy, director of scouting for the Broncos, is named director of player personnel. **FEBRUARY 7**—Former Bronco great Floyd Little is inducted into the Colorado Sports Hall of Fame. **MARCH 13**—Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey announces that only 449 of 62,215 season tickets sold in 1976 were not renewed for 1977. Sales of additional tickets available because of stadium expansion. **APRIL 7**—In a Denver Post series by Irv Moss, it is revealed that the Broncos generated revenues of more than \$891,000 for the city of Denver in 10 home games in 1976, making the Broncos the top

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

producer of revenue for the city of Denver among tenants of special events facilities. **JUNE 12**—Lyle Alzado is named winner of the National Football League Players Association's Byron (Whizzer) White Award as the group's Man of the Year. Rick Upchurch is honored at the same Chicago banquet as the NFL's top punt returner. **SEPTEMBER 18**—The Broncos open their season before a record crowd of 75,007 in Mile High Stadium, shutting out the St. Louis Cardinals, 7-0. **OCTOBER 16**—Pushing their season record to 5-0, the Broncos use seven interceptions and a touchdown pass to kicker Jim Turner to trounce the defending world champion Oakland Raiders, 30-7. **NOVEMBER 27**—In a showdown of the two best records in the NFL, the Broncos get a 73-yard interception return for a touchdown by Tom Jackson to dump Baltimore, 27-13, and run their record to 10-1. **DECEMBER 4**—With a 24-14 win at Houston, the Broncos clinch a playoff berth, first in the club's history. Later in the day, the Broncos clinch the AFC Western Division championship when the Raiders fail to the Los Angeles Rams. **DECEMBER 18**—The Broncos lose to Dallas in the regular season finale, 14-6, but post the best record in the history of the franchise, 12-2, tied with Dallas for the best in the NFL. **DECEMBER 24**—Before the largest crowd ever to watch a sporting event in the state of Colorado 75,011, the Broncos stop the Pittsburgh Steelers in the first round of playoff action, 34-21.

1978

JANUARY 1—"The miracle has happened," said KOA sports director Bob Martin. "The Broncos are going to the Super Bowl." In a hard-fought game at Mile High Stadium, the Broncos dethrone the Raiders, 20-17, for the AFC championship and a trip to the Super Bowl in New Orleans. **JANUARY 15**—"We'll be back" and "We love our Broncos" the Denver faithful chant as the Broncos fall to the Cowboys, 27-10, in the Super Bowl. **JANUARY 23**—Lyle Alzado, Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Billy Thompson and Louis Wright represent the Broncos in the Pro Bowl, the largest Denver contingent in history. **MARCH**—Only 143 season tickets are not renewed, a new all-time low, according to ticket manager Gail Stuckey. **SEPTEMBER 3**—Broncos open defense of title by beating Oakland, 14-6 in Mile High Stadium. **OCTOBER 29**—Broncos beat Seattle, 20-17 in overtime, becoming the first NFL team ever to participate in three overtime contests in one season. **DECEMBER 3**—Broncos win by 21-6 score at Oakland, holding the Raiders without a touchdown for the second time in the season, and moving within one game of AFC West crown. **DECEMBER 10**—Denver downs Kansas City, 24-3, winning second straight division championship, as QB Craig Morton goes 19-for-22 with 16 straight completions, both second best all-time NFL marks. **DECEMBER 30**—Denver loses in the playoffs to eventual Super Bowl champion Pittsburgh Steelers, 33-10.

1979

JANUARY 29—Broncos are represented by an all-time high of seven players in the NFL Pro Bowl, including Lyle Alzado, Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Riley Odoms, Bill Thompson, Rick Upchurch, and Louis Wright. **MARCH**—Only 161 season tickets are not renewed, according to Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey, virtually assuring the Broncos of their tenth straight sellout season. **OCTOBER 7**—Denver shuts out San Diego, 7-0, marking the first time ever for Broncos to record two shutouts in one season. Denver had opened the campaign with 10-0 win over Cincinnati. **NOVEMBER 11**—Rick Upchurch becomes the all-time pro football record holder in career punt return yardage. He set the record vs. New England, surpassing the late Emlien Tunnell's total of 2,209 yards. Upchurch concluded 1979 play with 2,288 career punt return yards. **DECEMBER 17**—San Diego defeats Denver by a 17-7 margin on final Monday night game of the season, winning Western Division title in the process. However, Denver clinched a playoff berth for the third straight year. **DECEMBER 23**—Denver loses in wild card playoff game at Houston, 13-7.

1980

JANUARY 27—The Broncos are represented in the Pro Bowl game by Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Rick Upchurch, and Louis Wright. **MARCH**—Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey announces that only 146 season tickets are not renewed for 1980, virtually assuring the club of its 11th

MISCELLANEOUS

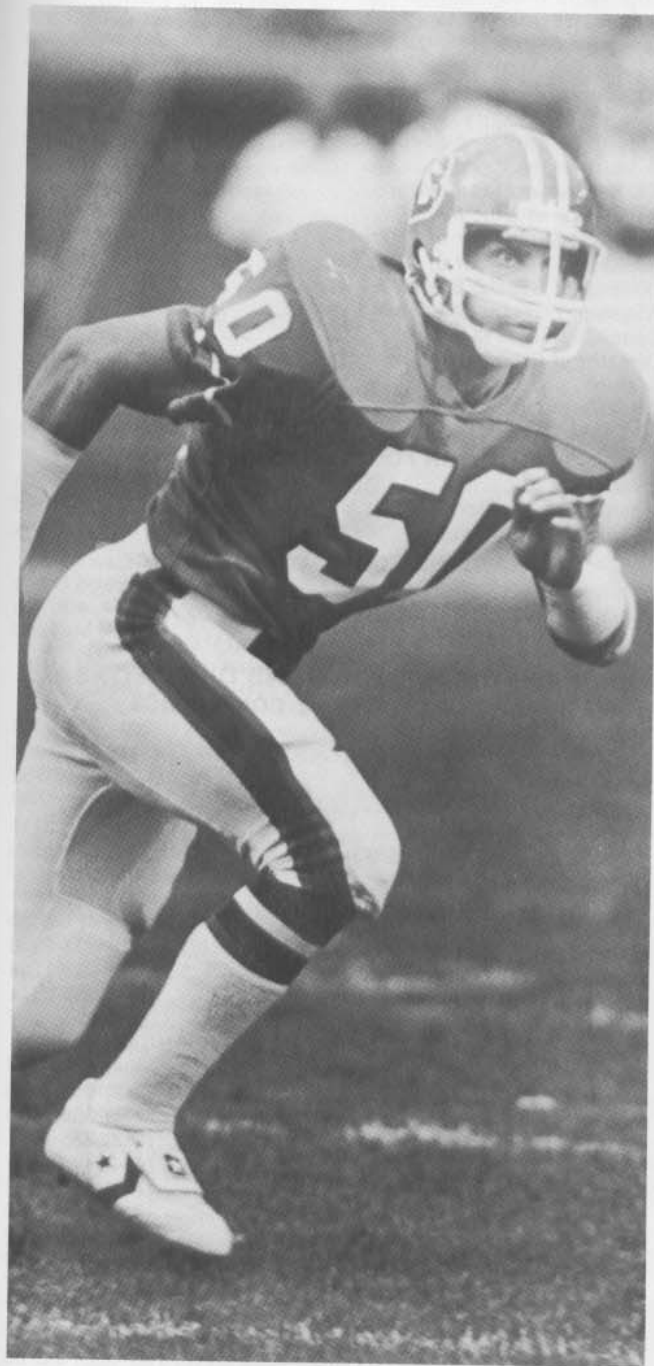
consecutive sellout campaign. **SEPTEMBER 14**—Denver defeats Dallas, 41-20, the first Bronco victory over the Cowboys in regular season history. **OCTOBER 5**—Randy Gradishar returns interception 93 yards for a touchdown vs. Cleveland, the longest such return in team history and the NFL's longest for 1980 season. **OCTOBER 13**—Fred Steinfort kicks 57-yard field goal, tying record for third-longest kick in NFL history. **DECEMBER 21**—Steinfort kicks 53 and 55-yard field goals, becoming just sixth man in NFL history to kick two field goals from beyond 50 yards.

1981

JANUARY—Fred Steinfort is named by Pro Football Weekly as that publication's Golden Toe Award winner for the 1980 season, having tied for the league lead with 26 field goals. **FEBRUARY 25**—At a news conference at the Broncos' complex, Edgar F. Kaiser, Jr. is introduced as the new owner of the Denver Broncos, having purchased the club from principal owners Gerald H. Phipps and Allan R. Phipps. **MARCH 10**—Grady Alderman is named new General Manager of the Broncos and Dan Reeves is named as the new Head Coach. Alderman came to the Broncos from the Minnesota Vikings, where he was Director of Planning and Development. Reeves came to Denver from the Dallas Cowboys, where he had been offensive coordinator. **MARCH**—Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey announces that the Broncos are sold out for their 12th consecutive season. **SEPTEMBER**—Craig Morton throws four touchdown passes in each of two consecutive games, vs. Baltimore and San Diego, a first in franchise history. Wide receiver Steve Watson ties a team record with three touchdown receptions against the Colts on September 20. **NOVEMBER 22**—Watson catches a touchdown pass at Cincinnati to set a new team record with 13 TD catches in one season. **DECEMBER 20**—Watson gains 82 yards on receptions at Chicago, establishing a new Bronco single season mark with 1,244 reception yards. Denver finishes with a 10-6 record for the third time in four seasons. Individually, Morton set single season records for yards gained (3,213), yards passing (3,195), and average gain per play (8.37), while Watson led the AFC in reception yardage and in touchdown receptions (13).

1982

JANUARY 31—The Broncos are represented in the Pro Bowl game by Randy Gradishar, Bob Swenson, Bill Thompson, and Steve Watson. **MARCH**—Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey announces that only 49 season ticket accounts have not been renewed for 1982, virtually assuring the Broncos of their 13th consecutive sellout season in Mile High Stadium.



Jim Ryan, Denver's Special Teams MVP in 1981.

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CHAMPIONSHIP PLAY

AFL-AFC TITLE GAMES

1981 Cincinnati 27, San Diego 7	1970 Baltimore 27, Oakland 17
1980 Oakland 34, San Diego 27	1969 Kansas City 17, Oakland 7
1979 Pittsburgh 27, Houston 13	1968 New York Jets 27, Oakland 23
1978 Pittsburgh 34, Houston 5	1967 Oakland 40, Houston 7
1977 Denver 20, Oakland 17	1966 Kansas City 31, Buffalo 7
1976 Oakland 24, Pittsburgh 7	1965 Buffalo 23, San Diego 0
1975 Pittsburgh 16, Oakland 10	1964 Buffalo 20, San Diego 7
1974 Pittsburgh 24, Oakland 13	1963 San Diego 51, Boston 10
1973 Miami 27, Oakland 10	1962 Dallas 20, Houston 17 (OT)
1972 Miami 21, Pittsburgh 17	1961 Houston 10, San Diego 3
1971 Miami 21, Baltimore 0	1960 Houston 24, Los Angeles 16

NFL-NFC TITLE GAMES

1981 San Francisco 28, Dallas 27
1980 Philadelphia 20, Dallas 7
1979 Los Angeles 9, Tampa Bay 0
1978 Dallas 28, Los Angeles 0
1977 Dallas 23, Minnesota 6
1976 Minnesota 24, Los Angeles 13
1975 Dallas 37, Los Angeles 7
1974 Minnesota 14, Los Angeles 10
1973 Minnesota 27, Dallas 10
1972 Washington 26, Dallas 3
1971 Dallas 14, San Francisco 3
1970 Dallas 17, San Francisco 10
1969 Minnesota 27, Cleveland 7
1968 Baltimore 34, Cleveland 0
1967 Green Bay 21, Dallas 17
1966 Green Bay 34, Dallas 27
1965 Green Bay 23, Cleveland 12
1964 Cleveland 27, Baltimore 0
1963 Chicago 14, New York Giants 10
1962 Green Bay 16, New York Giants 7
1961 Green Bay 37, New York Giants 0
1960 Philadelphia 17, Green Bay 13
1959 Baltimore 31, New York Giants 16
1958 Baltimore 23, New York Giants 17 (OT)
1957 Detroit 59, Cleveland 14
1956 New York Giants 47, Chicago 7
1955 Cleveland 38, Los Angeles 14
1954 Cleveland 56, Detroit 10
1953 Detroit 17, Cleveland 16
1952 Detroit 17, Cleveland 7
1951 Los Angeles 24, Cleveland 17
1950 Cleveland 30, Los Angeles 28
1949 Philadelphia 14, Los Angeles 0
1948 Philadelphia 7, Chicago Cardinals 0
1947 Chicago Cardinals 28, Philadelphia 21
1946 Chicago Bears 24, New York Giants 14
1945 Cleveland Rams 15, Washington 14
1944 Green Bay 14, New York Giants 7
1943 Chicago Bears 41, Washington 21
1942 Washington 14, Chicago Bears 6
1941 Chicago Bears 37, New York Giants 9
1940 Chicago Bears 73, Washington 0
1939 Green Bay 27, New York Giants 0
1938 New York Giants 23, Green Bay 17
1937 Washington 28, Chicago Bears 21
1936 Green Bay 21, Boston Redskins 6
1935 Detroit Lions 26, New York Giants 7
1934 New York Giants 30, Chicago Bears 13
1933 Chicago Bears 23, New York Giants 21

SUPER BOWL RESULTS

1982	San Francisco 26, Cincinnati 21
1981	Oakland 27, Philadelphia 10 at New Orleans
1980	Pittsburgh 31, Los Angeles 19 at Pasadena
1979	Pittsburgh 35, Dallas 31 at Miami
1978	Dallas 27, Denver 10 at New Orleans
1977	Oakland 32, Minnesota 14 at Pasadena
1976	Pittsburgh 21, Dallas 17 at Miami
1975	Pittsburgh 16, Minnesota 6 at New Orleans
1974	Miami 24, Minnesota 7 at Houston
1973	Miami 14, Washington 7 at Los Angeles
1972	Dallas 24, Miami 3 at New Orleans
1971	Baltimore 16, Dallas 13 at Miami
1970	Kansas City 23, Minnesota 7 at New Orleans
1969	New York Jets 16, Baltimore 7 at Miami
1968	Green Bay 33, Oakland 14 at Miami
1967	Green Bay 35, Kansas City 10 at Los Angeles

DENVER BRONCOS 1982 ROAD HOTELS

Los Angeles	Anaheim Marriott	714-750-0800
New York Jets	The Sheraton Heights	201-288-6100
New Orleans	New Orleans Hilton Towers	504-561-0500
New York Jets	LaGuardia Marriott	212-565-8900
Houston	Stouffers Greenway Plaza	713-629-1200
Seattle	Doubletree Plaza	206-575-8220
Kansas City	Hyatt Regency	816-421-1234
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DENVER BRONCOS

1982 PRE-GAME AND HALFTIME SCHEDULE

DATE	GAME	GUEST PERFORMERS
August 21	Miami Dolphins	SPEBSQSA (Barber Shop Singers)
August 28	Minnesota Vikings	Denver Citywide Marching Band
September 12	San Diego Chargers	Casper Troopers Drum and Bugle
September 19	San Francisco 49ers	Doherty HS Band (Colorado Springs)
October 3	Pittsburgh Steelers	Abilene Christian Univ. Band
October 24	Oakland Raiders	Iowa State University Band
October 31	Buffalo Bills	University of Texas El Paso Band
November 21	Seattle Seahawks	University of Colorado Band
December 5	Atlanta Falcons	Northglenn High School Band
December 19	Kansas City Chiefs	Arvada High School Band

MILE HIGH STADIUM

Mile High Stadium, home of the Denver Broncos, once again was filled for every home date during the 1981 National Football League regular season. The Broncos brought their consecutive regular season sellout streak to 88 games and concluded 12 years of sellouts at Mile High Stadium.

Expansion of the stadium, begun in 1975, was completed for the 1977 season to give the Broncos the seventh largest home facility in the league.

Denver voters passed a \$25 million bond issue in 1974 to expand and improve the stadium from its capacity of 51,706 to 75,123. The stadium held 63,532 for the 1976 season, halfway through the project.

Making Mile High Stadium unique, however, is its movable east stands. The east stands move in a single section which, when fully extended, is in a horseshoe configuration for football. When the section is retracted, the stadium is in position for baseball.

The dynamics involved in the move are fascinating. First, bear in mind that the east stands section is a three-tiered structure, 535 feet long, 135 feet tall and 200 feet deep, weighing nearly nine million pounds. Second, the stands must be moved a distance of 145 feet.

How is it done? The answer, says DMJM-Phillips-Reister, the engineering-architectural firm in charge of the project, is water.

More than 90,000 square feet of runways serve as the operating surfaces over which the stands will move. Water is pumped onto the runways and form a .003 inch sheet upon which the stands rest. Hydraulic rams then push the stands forward at the rate of three feet per minute, making the move last somewhere around two hours.

Originally called Bears Stadium, the facility was built in 1948 for the Denver Bears of baseball's old Western League, with long-range plans to utilize it for football as well. When Denver became a charter member of the American Football League in 1959, the south stands (8,100 seats) and portable east stands (9,616 seats) were added to give a capacity of 34,657 for football.

After Denver voters turned down a stadium bond issue to build an all-purpose metropolitan stadium in 1967, a non-profit group began a fund-raising drive with the goal of purchasing the stadium for the city.

In February of 1968, the group bought the stadium from Rocky Mountain Empire Sports for \$1.8 million and presented it to the city of Denver. A 16,000-seat upper deck was immediately constructed over the west stands, raising the capacity to over 50,000 for the 1968 season. In December of 1968, the stadium was renamed Denver Mile High Stadium.



SCHEDULING

The Master NFL schedule, as it applies to the Denver Broncos (and also to the other AFC West teams) for 1983 is as follows:

EACH TEAM:

A. Home-and-home games with the four teams in the AFC West (Denver, Kansas City, Oakland, San Diego, and Seattle). Total: 8 games.

B. One game with teams #1-4 (referring to placings) in a division of the other conference. In 1983, this will be the NFC East. Sites will depend upon order of finish within the divisions (see subsequent notes). This step does not apply to the fifth place team in the AFC West.

FIRST PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. "Home and away: One game each against NFC East #1, NFC East #2, NFC East #3, NFC East #4. Total: 4 games.

C. One game with each of the two other first place teams in the AFC and each of the two other fourth place teams in the AFC. Home: AFC East #1, AFC Central #4. Away: AFC East #3, AFC Central #1. Total: 4 games.

SECOND PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. "Home and away: One game each against NFC East #1, NFC East #2, NFC East #3, NFC East #4. Total: 4 games.

C. One game with each of the two other second place teams in the AFC and each of the two other third place teams in the AFC. Home: AFC East #2, AFC Central #3. Away: AFC East #3, AFC Central #2. Total: 4 games.

THIRD PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. "Home and away: One game each against NFC East #1, NFC East #2, NFC East #3, NFC East #4. Total: 4 games.

C. One game with each of the two other second place teams in the AFC and each of the two other third place teams in the AFC. Home: AFC East #3, AFC Central #1. Away: AFC East #2, AFC Central #4. Total: 4 games.

FOURTH PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. "Home and away: One game each against NFC East #1, NFC East #2, NFC East #3, NFC East #4. Total: 4 games.

C. One game with each of the two other first place teams in the AFC and each of the two other fourth place teams in the AFC. Home: AFC East #4, AFC Central #1. Away: AFC East #1, AFC Central #4. Total: 4 games.

FIFTH PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. One game with each of teams #1-4 of the four team division in the AFC. Home: AFC Central #1, AFC Central #3. Away: AFC Central #2, AFC Central #4. Total: 4 games.

C. Home-and-home games with the other fifth place team in the AFC. Home: AFC East #5. Away: AFC East #5. Total: 2 games.

D. One game with each of the fifth place teams in the NFC. Home: NFC East #5. Away: NFC Central #5. Total: 2 games.

*For interconference games between teams 1 through 4 in a division, sites will be assigned so that those teams will not play a second consecutive home or road game with the interconference opponents played in 1980, when the same divisions were last paired (AFC East-NFC West, AFC Central-NFC Central, AFC West-NFC East).

Note: A "Proxy Team" is a team which played a 5th place schedule in 1980. If this team finishes 1 through 4 in a division in 1982, it will inherit the site priorities from the team in the division that finishes 5th.

Broncos Radio Network

For the thirteenth consecutive season, Denver's 50-thousand watt station KOA (850) will serve as the flagship station for the Denver Broncos game broadcast network.

Bob Martin, radio "voice" of the Broncos since 1964, will again be calling the play-by-play account of the games, with Larry Zimmer, who joined the broadcast team in 1971, again doing the color commentary.

Martin was named Colorado Sportscaster of the Year for the thirteenth consecutive year in 1981.

The confirmed list of network stations is as follows:

COLORADO

KGIW	Alamosa
KBOL	Boulder
KLGT	Breckenridge
KCMP	Brush/Fort Morgan
KRLN	Canon City
KRDO	Colorado Springs
KRAI	Craig
KRSJ	Durango
KMTS	Glenwood Springs
KREX	Grand Junction
KFKA	Greeley
KVLE	Gunnison
KBZZ	La Junta
KLMR	Lamar
KLRR	Leadville
KLMO	Longmont
KVBL	Montrose
KZLD	Pueblo
KVRH	Salida
KBCR	Steamboat Springs
KCRT	Trinidad
KVMT	Vail
KRDZ	Wray
KJCO	Yuma

ARIZONA

KCKY	Coolidge
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GEORGIA

WISK	Americus
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MONTANA

KBMY	Billings
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NEBRASKA

KXNP	North Platte
KOLT	Scottsbluff

NEW MEXICO

KZIA	Albuquerque
KENN	Farmington
KYVA	Gallup
KRSN	Los Alamos/Santa Fe

SOUTH DAKOTA

KTOQ	Rapid City
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UTAH

KWSM	Salt Lake City
KVNV	Logan

WYOMING

KTWO	Casper
KVVY	Cheyenne
KSGT	Jackson
KMMZ	Lowell/Greybull
KMER	Kemmerer
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from the stadium and prosecution for criminal trespass.

Any secondary non-editorial use of any picture, film/tape or drawing of the game taken or made by the accredited organization or individual to whom this credential has been issued (including but not limited to use in advertising, sales promotion or merchandising) is prohibited without prior specific written approval of the National Football League. Additionally, television stations are prohibited from making available game film or tape to any other organization even though the planned use may be editorial in nature without advance written permission from the NFL or one of its member clubs. Such film or tape may be aired only by the specific station or entity to whom this credential is issued.

Television stations filming or taping NFL games recognize that any films or tapes may only be used in connection with a regularly scheduled television newscast within a seven-day period following the game and the film clip or taped portion of each such showing will not exceed two (2) minutes in length.

Additionally, television stations agree not to use more than six (6) minutes of filmed or taped "same-day" highlights from NFL games on any regularly scheduled news programs (i.e. no more than six minutes of highlights on Sunday night). This is the only exception to the two-minute limitation.

Television stations wishing to use NFL film or tape in any other manner must obtain written permission for such usage from the National Football League.

Acceptance of the credential constitutes agreement by the bearer and his organization to abide by the foregoing conditions. Thank you for your cooperation."

Sideline photo passes will be tightly controlled by the Public Relations Department and are generally limited to photographers shooting for a daily newspaper, wire service, or magazine of national circulation on specific assignment.

TELEPHONE SERVICE: Three telephones will be provided for the exclusive use of visiting team writers. Additional telephone service should be arranged with Mountain Bell in Denver. Please contact Verne Olsen of Mountain Bell at (303) 624-1628.

COPY TRANSMISSIONS: Services available and their Denver contacts are the following:

Western Union—George Gann, 915 17th St., Denver, Colorado 80202, telephone (303) 825-2115.

Amfax-Contact national office, 49 Pleasant St., South Weymouth, Mass., 02190, telephone (617) 337-3415.

RADIO-TELEVISION: In making requests for broadcast credentials, please specify requirements for spotters and/or statisticians.

CODE-A-PHONE: The Broncos' Code-A-Phone will be in operation after the club begins training camp at the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley. The number is (303) 623-0545. New entries, generally including an interview with a player or coach, will be made daily at approximately 5:30 p.m. This recorded interview service will continue throughout the season.

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